

# Gunstream Elected TAI Manager

## Drought Feed Rule Extended To Mar. 16

Walter T. McKay, State Director of Farmers Home Administration has announced that FFA County Committees are being authorized to accept applications for drought feed aid through March 16, 1956, for supplies of grain to carry basic livestock through April 15, 1956.

This applies to all presently designated counties, McKay said, and represents an extension of the program where it is in effect in 87 Texas Counties. This extension includes Lamar, Medina, Frio and La Brea Counties, according to McKay. Albers local FFA County Committee.

## Clean-Up Day Set for 26th

Paint Up and Fix Up Day has been set for Monday, March 26, by the Hondo Chamber of Commerce.

Leading the committee in the event is Dr. Joe E. Ehlinger, Robert L. Knopp, Chester Schmidt, and others. The committee is planning a clean-up of the city streets and the grounds of the chamber of commerce are being cleaned up.

In years past, merchants asked to donate money for a man for the day of the 26th when the day of trash will begin. The trash will be from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Some merchants will contribute the use of their trucks.

State Joins In Spring is regarded every clean-up time, Dr. Henrich, Texas Commissioner, urges all good citizens to join in an effort to clean up the community a better place in which to live.

Benefit of cleaning up is a heavy toll of life. This can be done by the use of the fire department. The fire department is a public service and is available to the public. The fire department is a public service and is available to the public.

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## BRAKEMAN GETS A BREAK

E. L. Scheffler, 246 Holmgreen Road, San Antonio was awarded the calf given Saturday by a group of Hondoans who are organizing a summer recreation program from the city.

A brakeman on Southern Pacific Lines, Scheffler hopped off a freight one day, made a donation to the summer recreation fund and received a ticket which turned out to be the winning one. Margaret Sanchez, daughter of Daniel Sanchez of Hondo, pulled the winning stub out of the box at noon March 3 in front of the courthouse.

A total of \$1511 was taken in as donations in the calf campaign which practically assures Hondo of a summer recreation program. A meeting will be called within the next two weeks to elect permanent officers and to select a director to carry out the program.

## Amberson Tells Of Turkeys

How Jim Amberson of Hondo has kept 500 wild turkeys alive during this dry weather is described in the current issue of Sun and Soil, being distributed this week with the Anvil Herald and four other South Texas weekly newspapers. It appears on page 10.

Other features include a story from Seguin about a woman who has been operating a bulldozer business since 1951, and from Carrizo Springs comes a story about a new farm implement invented there. It is one that most farmers won't ever need, but those who plant onions in great quantity think it is just the thing.

The profitable experience of Jack Richardson, Uvalde goat raiser who was forced into turning his goats on irrigated oats is still another feature. For the ladies, recipes and patterns are included in this March issue, and gardening tips are also to be found on page 12.

Sun and Soil serves an area containing 63,798 persons, covering five counties.

## Baby's Cry Warns Of Serious Fire

By E. H. Whittington

NATALIA — Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the four-room farm home belonging to R. K. Blunt, four miles west of Natalia early Monday morning. The house was occupied by Raymond Flint and family who narrowly escaped serious burns because their little two-year old girl awoke and cried out for water. The family was aroused from sound sleep to find the fire well under way, and they escaped in their night clothes.

The contents of the home were a total loss, so far as the fire damage is concerned, Flint is believed to have had some insurance on the furniture.

Blunt, who owns the property, lives in Boerne.

Visible in the smoldering ruins lay a home freezer, electric hot water heater, electric range, electric refrigerator, television aerial, sewing machine, etc., indicating that the overall loss could probably be about \$5,000 or perhaps even more.

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GROUND BREAKING FOR THEIR NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL BUILDING are these busy little boys and girls who go to Devine Baptist Church. The new structure will house classes for Devine small fry, so the pastor, the Rev. Don Rose, thought it appropriate that they bring their own shovels and turn the first dirt. Before Brother Rose could give the word Sunday morning, these eager diggers had a hole almost deep

enough to begin the foundation. Left to right are: Robert Powell, Cathy Love, Janie Messic, David White, Cynthia Williamson, Roger Williams, Kenny Sollock, Jimmy Gardner, Karen Russell, Denny Moore, Wayne McCarey, Linda Dickey, Robert Gardner and Ruth Griffin. Looking on behind, the building committee consists of S. R. Malone, Joe E. Briscoe, Pastor Rose, J. T. Lilly, O. T. Baker and Ernest Sadler.

—Kilpatrick Photo

## All Hondo School Children Are To Be Checked At Clinic

There will be a medical detection clinic in all schools of Hondo on March 21st. Sponsored by the Hondo Lions Club, the clinic will not include a complete physical of the school children but is being held to catch the more serious defects which might hinder a child in his studies.

The High School and Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association presidents and the presidents of the Mothers Clubs of St. Johns and Our Lady of Guadalupe Schools are coordinating the programs in their own schools. They are, respectively, Mrs. Houston B. Eggen, Mrs. Paul W. Bybee, Mrs. James Dyess and Mrs. Carmen Martinez.

Clinics will be held at the schools from 8 a.m. until noon with local doctors in charge and mothers assisting in the work. At noon the group will have lunch at the high school cafeteria and resume the program at 1 p.m.

Continuing until the project is completed. Participating doctors include W. B. Meyer, R. W. Landers, Joe Mims and Capt. Robert Rouse of Hondo Air Base. Dentists working on the project will be John H. Meyer, Thos. B. Knopp, Hazel Price Taylor and Capt. Clark Danner of Hondo Air Base. Optometrists cooperating in the program will be John H. Jennings and M. S. Derankou.

Doctors Walter Meyer, John H. Meyer and J. H. Jennings will form the high school detecting team. At the elementary school will be Doctors Landers, Knopp and Jennings, the latter serving at the high school in the morning and at the elementary school in the afternoon. Doctors Mims and Taylor will work at St. John's School. Doctors Rouse and Danner at Guadalupe and Dr. Derankou will divide his time between these two schools.

## FINAL RITES FRIDAY FOR MRS. SCHMIDLI

D'HANIS — Following an illness of six weeks, Mrs. Jacob Schmidli, aged 60, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otis Newman, in Kerrville on Wednesday, Feb. 29, 1956.

Brief funeral services were held in Kerrville Thursday afternoon with Rev. G. S. Kuhlmann officiating.

Friday services were held from St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Hondo at 3 p.m. with Rev. K. Windecker officiating. Burial was made in D'Hanis cemetery with the following serving as pallbearers: H. M. Mills, V. Schultz, Maurice Nestor, Oscar Rohrbach, Charles Langfeld, and Fred Britz.

Mrs. Frieda Schmidli was born at Coupland, Texas March 13, 1895, and moved to the farm near D'Hanis with her family in 1924.

The late Jacob Schmidli preceded her in death on June 23, 1944.

She leaves as survivors four children: Rudolph of San Antonio, Louis of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. J. D. Huesser of D'Hanis, and Mrs. Otis Newman of Kerrville and seven grandchildren.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral of Mrs. Jacob Schmidli were Mrs. Mary Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler and family, Mrs. Hans Schmidli and son all of Austin; M. M. A. C. Marquardt of La Vernia; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Haby, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mills, Mrs. C. R. Wright of San Antonio, Mrs. Donnie Alexander and daughter of Bishop, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Howard of Sabin.

## Farm Bureau Soil Bank Plan Discussed Monday

Leon Lane of the Texas Farm Bureau spoke to the Medina County Farm Bureau Directors and committee men, Monday night in Hondo. He explained the main provisions of the American Farm Bureau Soil Bank Plan.

Lane pointed out that the main idea is to get as much money as possible for farm products. This necessitates the consideration of over-production in our basic crops. Since a Soil Bank Plan is to be voted on in Congress this week, the Farm Bureau has endeavored to show the similarities and differences in the various proposals. Farm Bureau members can learn in detail more about the arguments for and against the different Soil Bank Plans by reading The American Farm Bureau Federation's Official News Letter.

Bonard Carl gave a report on the Farm Bureau meeting held in San Antonio, March 5. Policy Development and Resolutions were the topics discussed.

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## Zachry Makes Announcement Of New Director Wednesday

H. B. Zachry, president of Texas Aviation Industries, which operates Hondo Air Base, made a statement to the Anvil Herald Wednesday regarding a new manager of the organization.

Zachry said, "Mr. Walter C. Gunstream, former manager of the International Airport of San Antonio has this day been elected vice-president and general manager of Texas Aviation Industries. He will assume his duties here April 1, 1956, and will move his family to Hondo."

During the war, Mr. Gunstream was in the Air Materiel Command as chief test pilot and operations officer and had many other assignments.

The election of Gunstream was prompted by the recent resignation of John Cape as president of

Texas Aviation Industries.

Express Story

The San Antonio Express Thursday morning carried the following story concerning Gunstream.

City Aviation Dir. Walter C. Gunstream turned in his resignation Wednesday, and said he will leave on April 1 the job he has held for almost seven years.

Gunstream said he has accepted an offer from Texas Aviation Industries, Inc., to become director of Hondo Air Base and flying operations there.

Substantial Increase

Gunstream, whose city job pays \$9,600 a year, said he did not feel free to divulge the salary offered by his new post. He added, however:

"It's a substantial increase over

the salary I am getting now."

Under a newly-adopted city plan, Gunstream could have been paid up to a top of \$12,000 a year.

Gunstream, who left military service as an Air Force lieutenant colonel in 1945 after seven years service, came to work as city airport director in May, 1949.

Hondo Air Base, Gunstream says, handles classes of about 66 flight trainees each, at least two classes at a time, in its program, and has 120 instructors. Gunstream will be in charge of the airport and all facilities and ground and air training except for military tactical training on the ground. The school uses Air Force aircraft.

BULLETIN

The United States Air Force has announced a new policy concerning operation of the nine (9) primary flying contract schools throughout the United States.

The following message was received today at Hondo Air Base for immediate release:

"Headquarters Air Materiel Command announces today that the fiscal year 1957, contracts for the operation of flying training air force nine (9) Civilian Primary Flying Schools, will be open for competitive proposal this year (Fiscal year is July 1) this reflects a change in the procedure of the past four (4) years of renegotiating contracts with the existing primary flying school operators. This move is in line with the expressed policy of the department of defense that maximum completion will be obtained in the procuring of government goods and services. Existing Civilian Flying School operators are being invited to submit their proposals for the fiscal year 1957 operation of the nine (9) Air Force Primary Schools.

"The Civilian Contract Flying Schools concept has proven its worth as an efficient and economical method of producing pilots for the United States Air Force during the past five years of operation under flying training Air Force Headquarters located at Waco, Texas. This method of conducting the Air Force Primary Pilot Training will continue to be an integral part of the flying training program for the foreseeable future.

"Competition for operation of the contract schools will have no effect on the present location of the present contract schools and there will be no change in the program being presently conducted or planned. In the event present management of the Contract Schools fails to secure a contract renewal, the new contractor will take over the existing primary school operation without interruption of the schools present flying training program. Since the primary pilot training mission will remain the same, the requirements for experiences and qualified civilian contract employees will remain basically as it has during the past contract year.

"General Gabriel Disowsay, Commanding FLYTAF, sent the following message to commanders of all nine (9) primary schools.

"THE FOREGOING MESSAGE IS FOR YOUR GUIDANCE. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE INFORMATION BE RELEASED IMMEDIATELY AND PERSONALLY TO ALL INTERESTED CIVIL LEADERS AND NEWS MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES.

"The nine primary training contract schools currently in operation are as follows: Malden Air Base, Missouri; Bainbridge Air Base, Georgia; Spence Air Base, Georgia; Graham Air Base, Florida; Bartow Air Base, Florida; Stallings Air Base, N. Carolina; Marrana Air Base, Arizona; Moore Air Base, Mission, Texas; Hondo Air Base, Hondo.

## Majors Altman, Woodrum Leaving Hondo Air Base

### A. H. Advertising May Be Slow But SURE

Jimmy Tschirhart is convinced that Anvil Herald advertising is an investment rather than an expense. The paper was hardly off the press last week 'til a man called him up and told him to deliver a television set exactly like the one shown in the paper. His customer had never even looked at the actual set!

Some ads don't bring results quite that fast, but they are read. We've had advertisers tell us that they have had folks come in up to as much as six months after a certain ad had run and ask specifically for the article. Bill Fly tells that he had a customer ask for a mixer Fly's had advertised about six months previously.

And classifieds work the same way. Arnold Saathoff had loads of hay to sell and had even tried a radio program without results until he put a classified in the Anvil Herald and sold all of it.

And Mrs. Jean Ulbrich said the ink was hardly dry on the Anvil Herald one recent week when someone called to tell her about finding the Ulbrich Siamese tom cat which they had advertised as "Lost or Strayed."

YOUR results may not be that immediate, but give advertising a try. Who knows, six months from now somebody may want to buy just what you have listed for sale.

Hondo Air Base will lose two majors come summertime.

Major R. G. Altman, director of military base operations, and Major Wm. C. Woodrum, director of military training, have been assigned to Air Command and Staff School, Air University, at Maxwell Air Force Base near Montgomery, Ala. and will begin the nine month course there next September.

Both men and their families will probably be leaving Hondo during the summer. The Altmans have two children, the Woodrums have four and all will accompany them when the transfer becomes effective. Major Altman came to Hondo Air Base from Goodfellow A. B. in August, 1953 and will almost complete three years here.

Major Woodrum was assigned to Hondo from Reese A.F.B. in September 1954. Their replacements at H.A.B. have not been named, according to Capt. Harold Maynard of the base.

New Contracting Officer

A new employee at Hondo Air Base is Carl E. Porter whose title is contracting officer. He comes to Hondo from FlytAF, Waco, and is with Civil Service.

Mr. Porter's wife will be moving to Hondo soon. They have three children, but all are grown.

## MOOS CLINGS TO CALF

Richard Moos caught a calf in the Houston Fat Stock Show Calf Scramble, Saturday morning, March 3rd.

Richard was one of 20 boys from all points in Texas to enter the Calf Scramble that morning.

All boys who caught calves will receive \$125.00 purchase certificate to be used in buying a feeder calf or a registered heifer.

At the present time Richard plans to use his purchase certificate to buy a registered beef heifer. Purchase certificates were sponsored by different businessmen of Houston.

Under the agreement of these rules the boys must purchase the calves before May 1, 1956. If a calf is to be fed it must be shown at the 1957 Houston Fat Stock Show. A special class is set up for all scramble calves.

DOG POISONING CONTINUES LOCALLY

Dog poisoning is still going on in Hondo after about two months of it.

Latest victims reported are a border collie, the pet dog of Darrell Rihn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rihn, and a big black one discovered by Leonard Wernette in his yard Wednesday morning.

## Devine Mill And Elevator Reorganizes; To Hold Open House Saturday, Mar. 10

Announcement of a major change in the business organization of one of Medina County's oldest firms was made this week.

Devine Mill & Elevator Company, established in 1918, has been re-organized as a corporation, according to a statement issued this week by President L. C. (Peggie) Martin.

Martin issued the announcement along with an invitation to attend an open house being held all day Saturday, March 10, featuring a free barbecue and other attractions.

The incorporation was done in an effort to reward key employees for faithful service rendered to the company and to enable the firm to continue its business in a more efficient manner, according to Martin.

Stock in the new corporation was sold to R. L. Busby Jr., Otis W. Doyal and Elmer P. Stehle who are all presently employed in the firm's operations.

Devine Mill & Elevator Co. was first formed in 1918 by the Adams Company and was known as the Adams Corn Sheller. In 1937 the property was purchased by Jack West and the name was then changed to Devine Mill & Elevator Co. August 1, 1943, Mar-

tin came to work for the firm as its manager and on Jan. 1, 1945, with T. J. Fatheree of Stockdale as his partner, he purchased the business. It was operated as a partnership until the death of Fatheree in 1952. At that time Martin purchased Fatheree's interest from the latter's heirs.

First major expansion of the company was in 1946 when they purchased additional real estate on which to build a new plant. Then in 1951 more property was purchased and a 28 by 120-foot building was erected directly across the street from the present mill. That building now houses

the firm's newly-acquired irrigation equipment franchise.

Directors in the newly-organized corporation are: L. C. Martin, Joe Bailey, Martin, R. L. Busby Jr., Otis W. Doyal and Elmer P. Stehle. Officers are: L. C. Martin, president; Otis W. Doyal, first vice-president; Elmer P. Stehle, second vice-president; R. L. Busby Jr., secretary; and T. D. Irwin, treasurer.

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## Professional Directory

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## SAUSAGE DINNER

With All The Trimmings!  
SUNDAY, MARCH 11, PARISH HALL—D'HANIS  
Dinner served at 11:30  
Games and Refreshments after dinner.  
Plates: Adults \$1.00; Children 50c  
Sponsored By  
St. Joseph's Society, D'Hanis

## D'HANIS NEWS

By Mrs. Amos Finger

M&M Melvin Finger and children of Abilene spent the weekend here as guests of M&M O. J. Reinhart and other relatives.

M&M M. J. Flusche and children, and Miss Bertha Koch of SA were guests of M&M Ben Koch, returning home Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Franger spent Sunday in Corpus Christi in the home of M&M Edgar Ney. She accompanied M&M Henry Franger of LaCoste and M&M Stanley Smith of SA, and returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. John Rothe, M&M A. C. Rothe, and M&M W. E. Albrecht of SA visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Mills, who had been a guest of her children, M&M Herman Mask of Houston, returned home last week. Mrs. Mask came back with her mother for a visit here.

Mrs. John Zinsmeyer returned home Sunday after visiting her children, M&M Harry Macey and baby Betty Ann in Dallas.

Justin Fest, Mrs. Louis Carle, Mrs. Joe Mueller and M&M O. W. Tondre were dinner guests of M&M Fritz Muennink at Hondo last Sunday.

M&M John Mueller and son of Dallas spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Regina Mueller. Tuesday evening they were supper guests of M&M Joe Mueller and daughter, Margaret, and O. W. Tondres.

M&M T. V. Boog and children of SA spent Saturday evening with his father, A. J. Boog, and the O. W. Tondre family.

M&M Ed Britz of Alaska were visiting in the home of O. W. Tondre and Joe Muellers, and they were supper guests of M&M Lawrence Carle and family.

Justin Fest and Mrs. O. W. Tondre spent the day with M&M Bill Wyatt at Uvalde last week.

Wayne Wolff and David Koch of SA were camping at the Koch

ranch over the weekend. M&M Lawrence Hueser and family of Sabinal visited his parents, M&M Fred Huser and relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed S. Koch spent three days in Dallas and Ft. Worth with Mrs. Robert Koch, Mrs. Frank Groff, Mrs. Jack Sharp of Hondo and visited with friends.

Mrs. Donnie Alexander and her daughter, Alice Lucille, of Bishop visited her parents, M&M Pete Saathoff, and Richard over the weekend.

Mrs. Marshall Fohn of Hondo visited Mrs. Ben Koch on Monday.

Fred Louis Rothe is back at work after recovering from a recent surgical operation. Mrs. William Carmichael is in a hospital in SA and not doing well.

Mrs. Carl Rudinger and Mrs. Walter Rudinger visited at Uvalde on Sunday with M&M Jimmy Rudinger and family.

Aug Nester and Mrs. Emil Brod were guests of M&M O. J. Wheat and son at Uvalde on Sunday.

M&M John J. Heisser of Castroville visited with Mrs. Alvina Koch and Miss Hulda Nester on Monday.

M&M Hugo Saathoff and son of Hondo, Mrs. Glenn Schaefer and Glenda of Utopia and Mrs. Ruby Speece visited with M&M W. W. Kellogg on Sunday and Monday.

M&M John Rieber and Mrs. Walter Burrell and daughters visited M&M W. F. Knippa in Knippa Sunday.

M&M Paul Reinhart and Miss Lena visited in SA Saturday with all their children.

M&M Mathias Koch visited in SA Friday.

M&M John J. Nester visited at Castroville Saturday evening where they were supper guests of friends.

## Deanery Meeting Set For March 11

The deanery meeting of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will be held in Devine on March 11. Father Jurashchek, moderator, assisted by Archdiocesan chairmen, will conduct the workshops. Mrs. Volney Boon, president, is requesting that all chairmen make an especial effort to attend this meeting. All the ladies of the parish are invited.

## THREE SCOUTS RECEIVE DEN CHIEF CARDS

Three boys of Boy Scout Troop 159 were presented Den Chief cards at a meeting of the group Monday night.

G. O. Downey gave cards to Gregorio Pedroza, Billy Hardy and Wesley Breiten.

Dr. E. B. Vincent told the scouts a new scout committee had been named to carry out the work. Leaders present Monday night in addition to Dr. Vincent and Downey were W. C. Hayhoe, Junior Assistant, Scoutmaster John Shepperd and Senior Patrol Leader Gregorio Pedroza.

Eagle Patrol members attending were Patrol Leader Mike Moore, Assistant Patrol Leader Knight, Duane Jackson, Mike Bendele and Mike Allen, Panther Patrol members present were Leader Wesley Breiten, Assistant Rudolph Ytuarte, Tommy Carter, Dennis Craggs, Don Downey and Richard Hayhoe.

From the Flaming Arrow Patrol were Patrol Leader Kenneth Heyen, Assistant Charles Hamm, Jimmy Heyen, Glenn Marshall, Billy Marshall, Gary Kilmer, Kent Hamby and Pepi Rozales. Wolf Patrol members present included Patrol Leader George Brucks, Assistant Donald Muennink, Clay Heyen and Alfred Breiten.

## New Car Registrations

J. L. Montgomery, SA, Chevrolet Fordor  
Sammy Charles, SA, Chevrolet Station Wagon  
Fred C. Schneider, SA, Chevrolet Fordor  
Mrs. L. J. Menier, SA, Ford Fordor  
Charles L. Morris, SA, Ford Fordor  
J. A. Roberson, Devine, Ford 1/2 Ton Pickup  
C. J. Stewart — Stevenson, Inc. Houston, Ford 3/4 Van  
Robert G. Stromberg, SA, Pontiac 4-door Sedan  
Albert A. Pena, Jr., Chevrolet 2-door  
Gwenn I. Anderson, SA, Plymouth Fordor  
Paul M. Vidal, SA, Buick Tudor  
Jos. L. Boyle, SA, Chevrolet 2-door Sedan  
Roosevelt Coleman, SA, Chevrolet Club Coupe  
K & I. L. Kruger, SA, Chevrolet Club Coupe  
F. L. Guidry, Lytle, Ford Fordor  
Kathleen Cure, SA, Ford Tudor

## SECO PHILOSOPHER LOOKS At Another Solution To Farm Ills, And Finds It Won't Work Either

Editor's note: The Seco Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm has turned his thoughts to the farm problem this week, without affecting the problem one way or the other.

I read an editorial in a newspaper the other day which fell out of a car as it rounded a curve out here near my house which said the reason we have a farm problem is simple: we have too much land.

Now I'll admit this is a new explanation and while I have never run into a farmer yet who thought he had too much land, if it was paid for, I think Congress ought to be informed of it. The writer said we just have too many acres, and it shouldn't take Congress long to figure out the way to whip that situation is to double the size of an acre and cut the problem half in two.

But not only did this editorial writer say we have too much land, he said we've also got too many farmers, and he added that the solution to the whole problem was to cut down on both.

Now I can see how it might be possible to cut down on the number of farmers, just lower prices a little more, but when it comes to cutting down on the amount of land we've got, that editorial writer is going to have to sharpen his pencil.

It's my theory that as long as there's any land to farm, somebody will farm it, the same as it's true that just as long as there's any gossip to repeat, somebody will repeat it. There's something about a piece of unfarmed land that sweeps a man off his feet. It doesn't make any difference how many people be-

fore have gone busted on it, there's always somebody else willing to give it a turn. As I've always said, there never was a piece of land some farmer wasn't willing to farm, or a woman some man wasn't willing to marry.

Therefore, they'll have to attack the farm problem from some other angle. What angle that'll be is not for me to say. That's Congress' job. Us farmers only make the problems, it's up to Congress to solve em. This is known as separation of powers, guaranteed under the Constitution.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

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By Mrs. R. R. Koch

LACOSTE — There will be an evening of entertainment at the LaCoste High School Gym at LaCoste on Monday, March 12th at 8:00 p.m., highlighted by the appearance of the 80 piece Symphonic Band of St. Mary's University. In addition to the concert, attendance prizes will be given. Proceeds from the entertainment will go to LaCoste and Castroville Band Boosters Club. Adults will pay 75c, students 35c.

M&M Robert Biediger of Greenville, S. C., proudly announce the arrival of a baby girl on Monday, March 5th. The proud grandparents are Mrs. E. Stowe of SA and M&M Wilfred F. Biediger of LaCoste.

M&M Ernest Hutzler and sons, Matthew and Harley of the Sauz were Sunday evening visitors of M&M Bernard Zinsmeyer and sons, Anthony, Leonard and Robert.

Mrs. U. B. Kempf of Castroville visited here Tuesday with Mrs. Helena Keller.

M&M George Zuercher and son Allen visited M&M A. J. Graff and son Ralph of Hondo on Sunday.

Mrs. Hugo Adam and children and Mrs. Mary Kauffman were Lyle visitors Monday afternoon.

M&M W. F. Biediger spent Sunday afternoon in SA with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parma and son.

M&M John Lloyd Zuercher were Hondo business visitors Monday morning.

M&M Elmer Haller and daughter Linda and Miss Frances Haller of Natalia visited M&M Milton Salzmann and children Friday evening.

M&M Clements Kempf and daughter of Castroville were business visitors here on Saturday.

M&M Ben Yancev and children and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and son of SA and Mrs. Reba Keller of here visited with Mrs. Helena Keller Tuesday.

Joe Lessing of Macdonia was a visitor in town Monday afternoon.

Max Bippert of the Sauz was a visitor in town Monday.

Mrs. Della Hitzfelder and Mrs. Theresa Fitzpatrick and children of Hondo spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. H. N. Jungman and children Karen and Hal.

Mrs. George Kunze and Mrs. Wilfred Ahr were SA visitors last Monday.

Louis Mangold of Castroville visited in the William Keller home last week Wednesday.

Miss Anita Hitzfelder spent the day Sunday with Miss Virdie Harroder of Rt. 9, SA.

Mrs. Milton Salzman and daughter Donna Deene, spent last Tuesday with M&M Frank Zinsmeyer and M&M Richard Haby of Spindletop.

M&M Wilfred Hutzler, Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of M&M Robert Hutzler and son.

Mrs. W. F. Biediger left Wednesday by plane for Greenville, S. C. where she will visit for several weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, M&M Robert Biediger and infant daughter.

M&M H. N. Jungman, Karen and Hal, were Hondo business visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. M. Pittman of Dunlay and Miss Lena Geiger of here were Hondo business visitors Tuesday.

Joe Adam is a patient at the Santa Rosa Hospital in S. A. Friends are happy to hear Mr. Adam is doing nicely and wish him a speedy recovery.

M&M Robert Grossenbacher visited M&M Ed Weimer in SA Friday.

Mrs. George Zinsmeyer spent Saturday afternoon in Castroville with Mrs. Elizabeth Adam and daughter Helen.

M&M Verner Bippert and daughter of College Station spent the weekend in R. D. Bippert and Bernard Rihn homes.

Among those of here who attended the recreation training school at Devine last Monday were Mesdames John Heisser,

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## HD CLUB DOINGS

Devine Club met Friday the 24th with Mrs. D. E. Hunter. The co-hostess was Mrs. Paul Collins. Recreation was led by Mrs. D. G. Odom and Mrs. D. E. Hunter.

Mrs. W. Pitts gave the council report.

The annual style show will be at LaCoste April 14. Committee appointed on this includes: Mrs. Gladys Sollock, Mrs. Edgar Sollock, Mrs. Frank Peterson and Mrs. Wayne Clawson. They plan in some way to work in the theme of the Cactus Zoo in their exhibit.

The school of recreation was held Monday the 27th at the Devine Methodist Fellowship Hall. Representing the Devine Club were Mesdames W. Pitts, Wayne Clawson, Frank Peterson, Gladys Sollock, D. G. Odom and D. E. Hunter.

Clothing leaders appointed were Mrs. W. C. Brissenden and Mrs. L. E. Boone.

Mrs. Estella Strayhorn gave a lecture on the preservation of canned foods. She demonstrated the new "One Step" method of canning foods by which one can save half the time required by the old method. The members judged cans of vegetables that were exhibited.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following: Madames Frank Peterson, Paul Collins, W. Pitts, D. E. Hunter, Gladys Sollock, Edgar Sollock, Wyverne Platt, Arthur Killough, W. C. Brissenden, L. E. Boone, O. L. Armstrong, D. G. Odom, Marvin Rucker and Estella Strayhorn.

The next meeting will be held March 16 in the I. O. O. F. Hall, with Mrs. Arthur Killough and Mrs. Robbie Hardcastle as co-hostesses.

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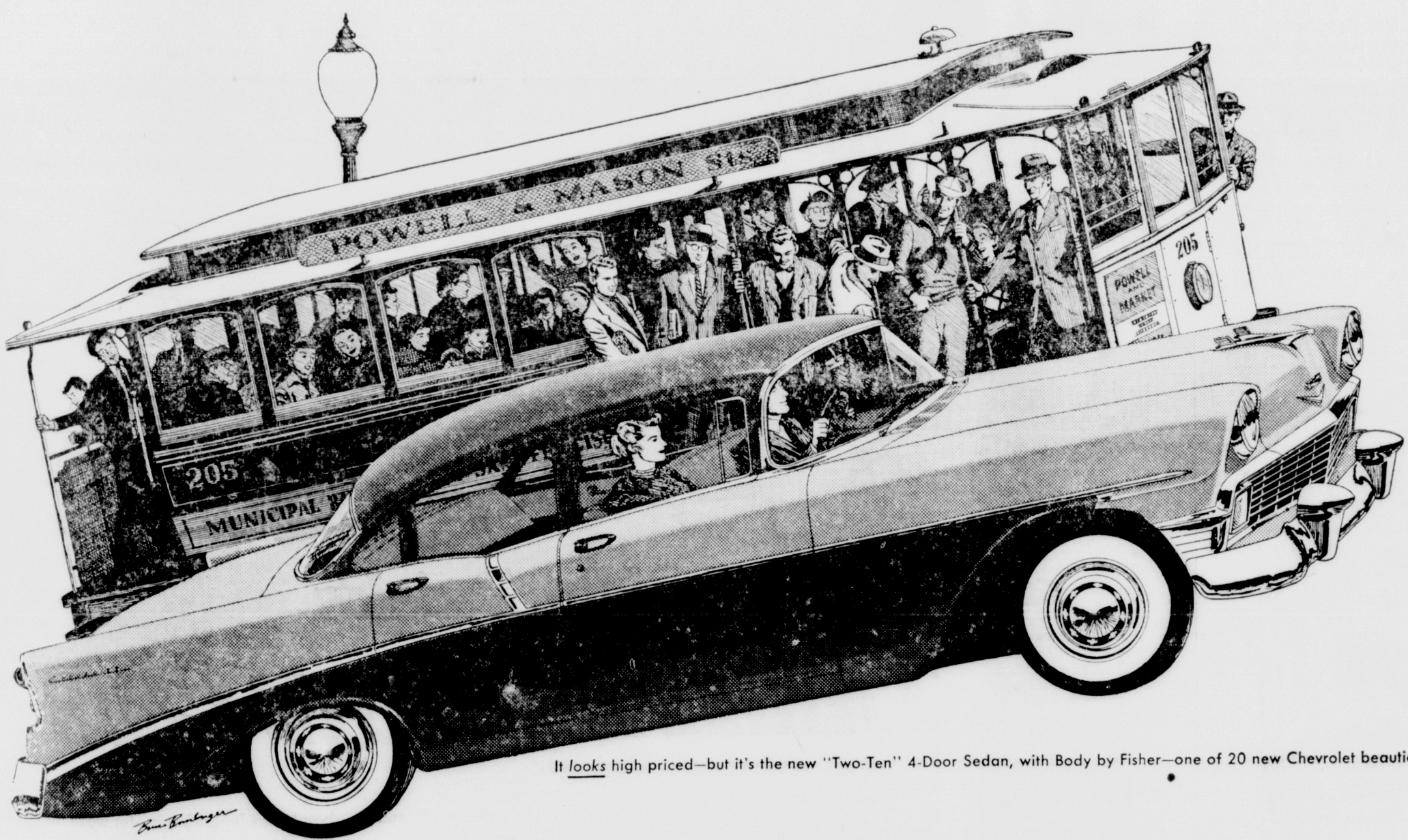
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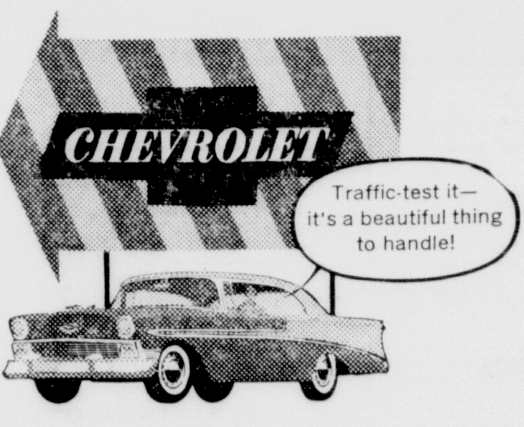
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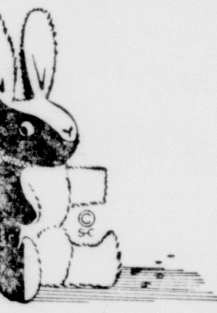
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## H. D. CLUB DOINGS

The Leinweber H. D. Club met Feb. 23 at the home of Mrs. Olga Nietenhoefer with seven members, one visitor and Mrs. Estella Strayhorn, the agent, present.

Mrs. Strayhorn gave a demonstration and explained the new method of cold-pack canning.

Bingo was played for recreation.

The hostess served chocolate pie and coffee for refreshments. The club's next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Willie Nietenhoefer on March 15.

The Delladona H. D. Club met Feb. 28, at the club house with 13 members and two visitors present.

Mrs. Albert Cockran and Mrs. E. J. Trip gave a demonstration on basic pattern alterations and up-to-date style trends.

Mrs. W. R. Beadle of Von Ormy gave an exercise demonstration for good posture.

Cherry pie and coffee were served by Mrs. George Winkler, Mrs. Harold Balmo and Miss Emma Lessing.

## CORPORATION CITY COURT

Fined in city court, which is conducted by Jack Fusselman, last week were:

Gary W. Crane, disturbing the peace, fined \$50.

Joseph Burke, disturbing the peace, fined \$50.

Robert E. Newman, speeding, fined \$1.

William M. Anderson, running red light, fined \$1.

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday

5:00 Daybreakers

7:45 News

8:00 Daybreakers

9:00 For Members Only

12:00 News

12:15 Farm News (FFA on Saturdays)

12:30 Texas Top Hands (County Agent on Saturdays)

1:00 Market Reports

1:15 Saddle Pals

3:00 Melody Matinee

5:30 News

6:00 Serenade

8:00 Cowboy Jamboree

11:00 All Night Serenade

## SETTLEMENT NEWS

By Miss Carmen J. Bayer

Carolyn Jagge is recovering from mumps after being in bed for a week.

Visiting with M&M Louis Mehr Sunday were M&M H. J. Boehle.

Mrs. Lina Fuos spent last Wednesday at Three Points with sister Emma.

Sunday dinner guests of M&M Wilfred Moehring were M&M Albert Groff, Marlin and Milton of Charlotte and M&M Erwin Biediger, Kay and Vickie Ann. In the afternoon they were joined by M&M Hugo Naegelin and daughter, Frances of Rio Medina.

Mrs. Wilfred Hoffman and Mrs. Sterley Jagge were in SA last Wednesday.

M&M Cornelius Hady and Stanley, and Mrs. Edmund Hady spent the day at M&M Allen Haby Sunday.

Tuesday Mrs. Philip Haby paid a visit to M&M Elmer Biediger.

M&M Rudolph Krenmueller visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bayer and family and Carolyn Bendele.

M&M Sam Tschirhart spent Sunday at Big Foot with the Lawrence Tschirhart and family.

M&M John Horecka and family called on M&M Alfred Boehle and Carolyn Sunday. Also visiting there were Harry Heyen and daughter Sue Karen Heyen and M&M Franklin Muennink who spent the day.

Monday night M&M Elmer Biediger and Shelia called on M&M Erwin Biediger, Kay and Vickie Ann.

M&M Oscar Karm visited Sunday evening with M&M Sam Tschirhart.

Mrs. Millie Jagge spent Sunday at M&M Sterley Jagge and Carolyn.

Henry Gross, Mrs. Angeline Burger, and M&M J. D. Schweers were at the Gross Ranch Sunday.

M&M Harvey Haby and family visited with his parents, M&M Allen Haby Friday.

Mrs. Wengenroth called at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biediger and family Thursday.

M&M Sam Tschirhart and Jacob and Miss Kay Haas visited Friday evening at SA with M&M P. L. Tschirhart.

M&M Joe Geant of Castroville visited Thursday night with M&M Wilfred Moehring.

Mr. Herbert Erck visited Sunday with M&M Allen Haby.

Mrs. Sam Tschirhart and Mrs. J. D. Schweers visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Victor Saathoff and girls and called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Breiten family.

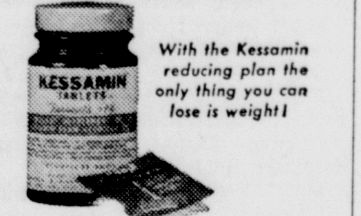
Barbara Ann Saathoff was a patient at the Medina Hospital several days. She's home and doing nicely. We hope she will soon be well enough to go back to school.

Mrs. Wilfred Hoffman visited shortly with Mrs. Louis Mehr Monday afternoon.

M&M John Mechler of Southtown stopped by Mrs. J. D. Schweers Monday evening.

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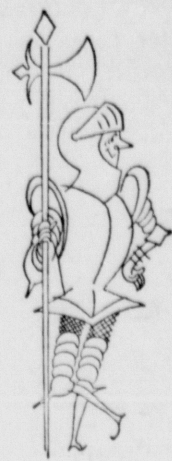


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NATALIA	March 13	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
NATALIA	March 14	9 a. m. to 12 p. m.
DEVINE	March 14	1 p. m. to 3 p. m.
DEVINE	March 15	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
DEVINE	March 16	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

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## Texas Legislative Leadership Far Behind Public Opinion

Honesty begets confidence and at least one state legislator is concerned about a loss of public confidence in the Legislature.

His concern can be appreciated in the wake of the sorry mess now being brought to light—cautiously—in Austin. The legislative "leadership" for our state is sadly behind public opinion despite three successive attempts by Rep. Maury Maverick Jr. to have his colleagues catch up. Maverick has unsuccessfully introduced legislation designed to help weak lawmakers stay honest. Worst, the most-recent session of the State Senate literally laughed such a proposal off the floor. Senator William H. Shireman of Corpus Christi was author of that bit of what his colleagues considered high comedy.

So there should be no tears for state officials, whose fee-grabbing instincts lead them to public embarrassment.

Certainly, nobody would ask a man to serve the public without reward and, certainly, legislative service of itself is underpaid. Proper fees and proper service to one's constituents is right. Accepting fees for work directly connected with legislation under consideration by the fee-takers themselves, however, is a rank violation of every moral code in existence, however legal it may be. There is strong reason to suspect—until the unlikely disclosure is made that it isn't so—that outright purchasing of legislative votes has come about in Austin.

We can hope that Rep. J. O. Gillham's fear that a "lot of good men are going to be defeated this year" is unfounded. But we can fervently hope that a lot of not-so-good men are voted out of office.

—San Antonio Express

Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas  
Friday, March 9, 1956

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

The Medina County Council of Campfire wishes to thank you most sincerely for your strong support of the "Build a Camp" Carnival. You were most thoughtful to give the event such a nice report in the Anvil Herald.

We feel the grand success of the Carnival was largely due to all the persons like yourself who gave so freely of time and talents to help.

Sincerely yours,  
Medina County Campfire Council,  
Mrs. H. F. Herring, Secretary.

Letter to the Editor

We would like to thank you for the nice stories you gave us on our Gay 90's review. It would not have been such a success, without them.

Sincerely,  
Castroville Band Boosters Club  
Mrs. Griggs, Sec.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Felix Ybarra Correa and Maria Gonzales Marez  
Michael Joseph Rucicido and Joan Ann Carlin

Francisco Dominguez Leiba and Belia Hernandez Gonzales

## Fletcher Davis

TELLS OF  
"AN AMERICAN EMPIRE BUILDER  
HENRY CASTRO  
ADVENTUROUS MEMBER OF NAPOLEON'S GUARD"

(Continued from last week)

The trip from San Antonio to the Medina lands and the initial work of the settlers was beset with difficulties and dangers. The advance party led by Castro, built huts of boughs and leaves as their temporary dwellings, but a cornerstone for a Catholic church was laid within ten days of the pioneers' arrival. Bishop Odín journeying from Galveston to consecrate the edifice. Olmstead, a traveler who visited the settlements in 1857, noted that most of the people were "rigid Catholics, the priest instructing the children". Amongst the first Castro emigrants we find the name of Abbe Menitrier. The religious feeling prevailed in the three-faith group, the Protestants having built their own Church soon after Bishop Odín's visit, and Castro himself being given to frequent and rigorous Hebrew ministrations and sacred usages as indicated in our opening paragraph.

Other settlers came in the wake of the advance party, and the first Indian attack disturbed the travelers and saddened their hitherto glad hearts. Forty miles below San Antonio, a band of Indians surprised the rear of the emigrant's train, burning a wagon and killing a young French lad. The driver of the wagon was an American used to such frolics. He repaired to the bushes quickly, and his rifle did some deadly work among the redskins, who finally fled leaving on the field a few of their smitten comrades along with the head of the unlucky Frenchman hideously nailed to a tree. A contemporary wondered in his chronicle: "In the burnt wagon was a trunk containing a considerable amount of gold and silver. In the ashes the silver was found melted—the gold only blackened."

The frontier conditions predominated for a long time after the colonists had settled on their new lands. Descendants of the original families wrote that they lived practically hemmed in by Indians on all the sides. "I remember Indians coming to our little burg with venison and bear meat and honey to trade for bread, whiskey and tobacco," says one. "Principal trading was done with Indians and Mexicans. Money was very scarce and trading was done by exchanging goods for buffalo robes, fur, gold and silver which the Indians and Mexicans brought in," says another. "Father dressed the hides, tanned them with live-oak and mesquite bark; mother made the shoes and also hats of coon skins, spinned the wool clipped from our flocks," testifies another.

The California gold rush of '49 claimed its fans in this colony too, as well as in all other portions of the world. A number of Castro's sons left for the coast, but soon returned, with some nuggets and others with injuries and heartaches.

By 1856, the town of Castroville boasted of two churches, Catholic and Protestant, three large stores and a few small ones, a grist mill, and, necessarily, a brewery. Olmstead, under the next year, entered in his travel journal: "The cottages are scattered prettily—the whole aspect being as far from Texas as possible". In other Castro towns he marvelled at the picturesque houses, high-gabled, thatched-roofed, dormer-windowed, white-washed, artistically placed in the shade of large liveoaks. He was somewhat amused by the fact that the villagers were proud to call themselves Germans though they spoke French or at best a mixture of French and German.

Olmstead found Henry Castro still living with his colonists. He was still their parent and benefactor. From another source we learn that Castro was a man of large means and had sunk \$150,000 of his own money into the enterprise. He fed his charges their first year in Texas, also supplied them with farm implements, seeds, medicine, milk cows and many other necessities and comforts. Each colonist also received a town lot and a piece of outlying land as a farm. In return for these "blessings hitherto unknown in the colonization of Texas", he was to receive a quantity of land equal to one-half of the whole taken by the colonists, to be located in alternate sections, with the state's reserve.

Lorenzo Castro in the preface to his book on Mexico, wrote in 1882 that his father, "for services rendered to the Republic of Texas in early days received grants of land in Texas, one of them comprising the county of Medina, and part of Bexar, Bander, Uvalde, Frio, Zavala and McMullen".

But Castro was still restless and not contented with his own and his charges' prosperity. In 1851, when the first guns of the Civil War had sounded, he undertook a journey to France. Texan historians say that Castro simply wanted to re-visit the land of his birth and "The graves of his family", but when we remember Castro's early activities in France in behalf of the American South and his whilom friendship to Lamar, Houston, Jones and other political figures of Texas, we begin to sense a deeper and more political reason. In his 75th year his spirit was re-kindled with the memories of his

part in Napoleonic trips and his diplomatic encounters with the ministers of Louis Philippe.

The ports were closed, and Castro chose his way via Mexico. He reached Monterrey, but there he took to bed and never rose again. He was buried in Mexican soil and the news of his death grieved his friends in Texas. Southern statesmen and planters remembered him kindly as a highborn gentleman and an able scholar, a Napoleonite and an American democrat—a good Emperario who risked his life and fortune but won his great pioneering gamble. His colonists remembered him as an adventurous and magnanimous Moses, who used them to get the land of milk and honey for himself, yet saw to it that they, his pawns, had partaken, too, of the Texas blessings freely and fully. The news of his demise saddened many a brow.

But not for long. A new generation was growing up. New pursuits opened themselves to the American sons of Castro's Alsatians and Rhinelanders. New heroes sprang up to be revered and remembered. As early as in 1856, cattle-raising began to be one of the leading occupations of the Castrofren. At first a ready market for beef and horses was found in the military posts to the west. But later the famous "Chisolm Trail" to North-Eastern points was established, and the colonists astride their sure-footed ponies, drove their immense herds for days and weeks on the stretch to the thrilling adventures and handsome profits. Soon the original Castro stock disappeared in the melting pot of

Panhandle, mixing with the new Irish, British, Mexican and American comers and their offspring. Yet for a long time the names of such celebrated cowboys as Billy Kremkau, Xavier Wantz and others could be traced to the roll-calls of Castro's. Yet even now, a student of Southwestern history can trace some of the cow-country's prosperity to the energy of the half-forgotten "kind and liberal father" of Jewish blood.

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To all the foregoing, Judge Haass, in his labor of research and compiling, attached the following:

"Taken from 'The American Hebrew', of Nov. 16, 1928, page 21."

"Under a picture of Henry Castro is written: 'Henry Castro, an intrepid colonizer, who in early frontier days was looked upon as a sort of Moses among his followers for whom he secured 'milk and honey'."

"At bottom of page 21 is found: 'In the thrilling history of these United States no state is represented by a more picturesque character than that contributed by Texas. Many races, many motives contributed to the settlement of Texas. It is fortunate that much that is authentic can be learned of the pioneers to go along with much that is romantic and improbable. The tall yarns of the olden days need not be discounted, and deserve to be retained for entertainment, but the facts of Henry Castro's part in Texas colonization, as here told, make even more enthralling reading."

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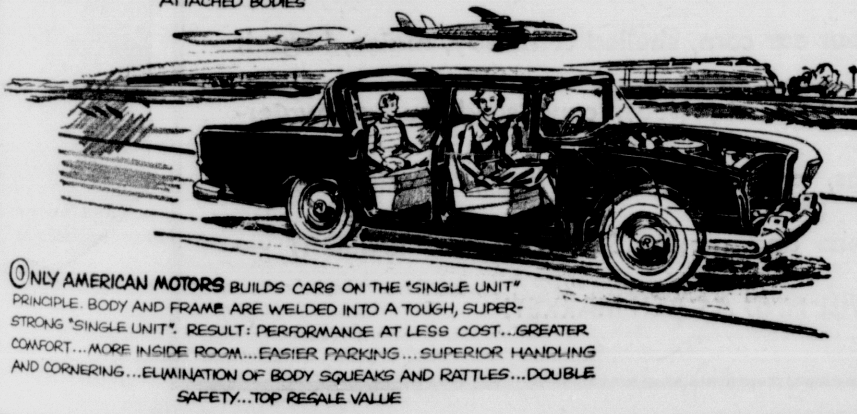
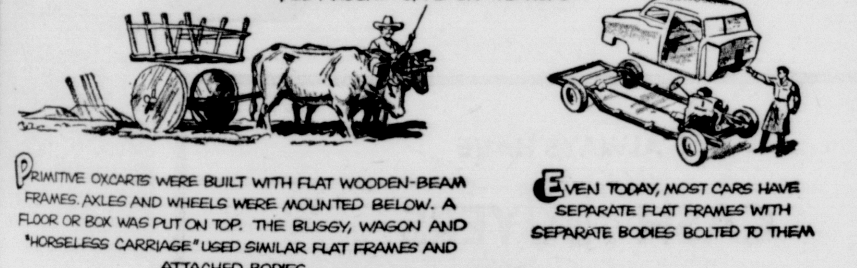
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Noted publisher, columnist and television personality gets inside story of revolutionary advance in car construction from the President of American Motors.

CERF: Mr. Romney, why do you offer a total of \$25,000 insurance with your new cars?

ROMNEY: It backs our claim that "single unit" construction makes the strongest, safest, most modern cars.

CERF: Is there really that much difference between the way you and other manufacturers make cars?

ROMNEY: All the difference between yesterday's railway coach and today's streamliner. Other cars still use a principle old as the oxcart: A flat frame bolted under a separate body. In our cars, frame and body are welded as a "single unit". It's the biggest stride since the all-steel body.

CERF: And this makes a safer car?

ROMNEY: Twice as safe. Instead of a flat frame underfoot, our frame is a steel, box-girder enclosure as big as the car. It gives you "wrap-around" protection in front, rear, sides and top.

CERF: That sounds like real protection.

ROMNEY: That's not all. Flat frames others use are stiff, so they transmit collision force throughout the car. Our big steel box-girders up front absorb most of the impact. They take the brunt of the punishment instead of passengers.

CERF: What about performance?

ROMNEY: That's a real plus. "Single unit" construction gives a better power-weight ratio. It's stronger and safer, but eliminates useless weight and bulk. Our cars have set many racing records.

CERF: And economy?

ROMNEY: They're tops. Rambler holds the gas mileage record in Mobilgas Economy Runs. Again, because our "hard-muscled" single unit avoids dead weight.

CERF: I like room and comfort.



ROMNEY: Nash and Hudson have more room inside than any high-priced car. Rambler equals medium-priced big cars. As for ride, the greater strength of our "single unit" lets us use larger springs, and superior front suspension.

CERF: Isn't resale value important?

ROMNEY: You bet. Rambler has top resale value in the low price field. In addition to other advantages, welded single unit cars last longer, make better used cars.

CERF: If all you say is true, why don't the Big Three make cars your way?

ROMNEY: You see, mere "bigness" can be a handicap in advanced automobile engineering. One of the biggest of the "Big 3" was years behind others in adopting the all-steel body. The bigger you are, the more factories you have—the more it costs to change.

CERF: I can understand that.

ROMNEY: Beginning in 1940, we spent over \$50,000,000 to develop the "single unit" car. Today, it will cost the biggest companies billions to re-tool for our method.

CERF: Do you think they will follow you?

ROMNEY: No doubt about it. Our major competitors will probably make the change gradually—piece-meal—or one model at a time. Frankly, we will be happy to see our "single unit" construction adopted, because it will mean better, safer cars on American highways.

CERF: Well, I'm about ready for another car. I'm going down to look at American Motors cars.

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THE BIGGER . . . and more complex Federal Government gets the more important the right of petition becomes, so just remember that if you have a pro-

blem with the Federal Government, I am happy to try and help. That's one of the things I'm here for. Of course, the result will not always be to our satisfaction, but I can assure you that whatever can be done by my office in your behalf that is consistent with good government will be forthcoming at any time you call on me.

ON MONDAY . . . a large delegation from the Valley, including Stanley Crockett, Lorne Hamme, Clyde Tandy, Sam Taylor, J. C. Looney, Bill Hughes, Albert Hughes, Jack Garrett, Frank Greer, Austin Anson and Dr. R. D. Lewis of Texas A & M College, will arrive in Washington to conclude our preparations for a hearing on Wednesday before the Agriculture Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee. Senators Lyndon Johnson and Price Daniel of Texas will join us in the hearing in which

we will seek \$350,000 for a Citrus and Vegetable and Soil and Water research laboratory at Weslaco. The research program would make available to all of our area long range agricultural benefits. Before the Wednesday hearing we have conferences on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings with Doctor Byron T. Shaw, Director of the Agricultural Research Service and Ervin Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, to coordinate all details. I hope we are successful. It would be a wise expenditure of money which would certainly improve agricultural income in the whole District, in years to come, from Medina County on down through the rich Winter Garden and Upper and Lower Valley areas. Improved agriculture, higher farm income and more tax returns to the Federal treasury all go hand in hand.

THE EMERGENCY FEED PRO-

GRAM . . . has been extended in Zavala, Dimmit, Frio, Starr, Medina, Webb, Jim Hogg, La Salle and Zapata counties for an additional 30 days through 15 April as an aid to the drought stricken ranchers in those counties. Applications for feed under the program will be accepted through 16 March. This certainly is not sufficient aid in those areas where drought conditions have been so bad for so long. The ranchers in those areas and the other areas in the state where drought conditions prevail need much more than this, but despite the request of South Texas ranchers and despite my continued efforts, Secretary of Agriculture Benson has, so far, not offered any different approach. I will keep trying.

THE WAY IS CLEAR . . . for construction of National Guard armories in Edinburg, Raymondville, McAllen, Brownsville, Har-

lingen, Laredo and Elsa. I received word from the Counsel General of the Department of Defense that the snag, a conflict between State and Federal laws governing construction of Federal State financed construction, holding up building of these facilities has been reconciled.

THE BALLISTICS AND GUIDED MISSILE TEST PROGRAMS

. . . for the Air Force, Army and Navy came under the scrutiny of the Military Operations Subcommittee, of which I am a member, last weekend. As soon as the House adjourned on Thursday we left for Patrick Air Force Base in Florida for on the ground hearings. This area of research and testing is a critical link in our continuing fight for weapons superiority. I am convinced that Russia is not lagging in this field. We must not.

## LIVESTOCK REPORT

**HOGS** — Sold for Leonard Hyde, Bandera, 2 pigs at \$4.75 per hd. Sold for William A. Lutz, D'Hanis, 6 hogs, 1350 lbs., at \$12.50. Sold for Herman Winters, D'Hanis, 8 hogs, 1860 lbs., at \$12.50. Sold for Raymond Wolff, D'Hanis, 4 hogs, 810 lbs., at \$12.50.

**GOATS** — Sold for Douglas Hass Devine, 1 Sp. Billy goat, 110 lbs. at \$5.20.

**SHEEP** — Sold for Mrs. F. J. Monier, Tarpley, 1 ewe lamb, 60 lbs. at \$11.10; also 1 mt. lamb, 70 lbs. at \$11.10. Sold for Elmer Hargrove, Tarpley, 1 ewe, 100 lbs. at \$6.10.

**CATTLE** — Sold for Charlie Muennink, Hondo, 1 W. F. Heifer, 380 lbs., at \$14.60. Sold for A. C. Gilliam, Hondo, 1 W. F. Heifer, 450 lbs., at \$15.10; 1 W. F. Bred

## HD CLUB DOINGS

The Rio Medina HD Club met at the home of Mrs. Cornelius Haby on March 1st. There were 10 members present with the agent, who gave a demonstration on easy canning of vegetables.

The hostess served a luncheon and gave prizes to ones lucky in a guessing game. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Floyd Haby on March 22nd.

St., 440 lbs., at \$15.10; also 1 W. F. St., 680 lbs. at \$14.60. Sold for Clinton Mumme, Hondo, 1 W. F. Heifer, 510 lbs., at \$14.60. Sold for C. D. Sadler, Hondo, 1 St., 840 lbs., at \$14.10. Sold for Ernest Mumme, Hondo, 1 W. F. Cow, 930 lbs., at \$9.30.

## Miss Paula Hoog Elected To Church Post

Miss Paula Raye Hoog of Castroville was elected Vice-Prefect of the Archdiocesan Sodality Union at the Annual Convention held at Our Lady of the Lake College on Sunday, March 4. Attending the convention were a group of 20 Sodality members from Hondo and six from Castroville. Other highlights of the convention consisted in addresses by Bishop Stephen A. Leven, new Auxiliary Bishop of San Antonio and Father Albert Levett, S. J. of Mobile, Ala. Some 500 delegates from all over South Texas attended the meet.

Miss Hoog, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoog of Castroville, is a sophomore in St. Louis High School. She also serves as Vice-Prefect of the St. Louis Sodality of Our Lady and is active in other school activities.



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# PAGING THE LADIES



**MAKING FINAL PLANS FOR AN ART EXHIBIT IN DEVINE** Sunday, March 11 are these members of the Devine Business and Professional Women's Club. They are: Seated, left to right, Maggie Mae Woods, Mrs. Charles L. Hardy, Mr. G. J. Pribble, Mrs. Walter Weber

## Art Exhibit, Tea Will Help Finance College Scholarship

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Devine is sponsoring an art exhibit and silver tea Sunday, March 11, at the Devine High School from three until seven o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Weber is general chairman; Mrs. Robbie Hardcastle, chairman of decorations; Mrs. Ruth Allen, chairman of antique arrangements; Mrs. Charles L. Hardy, chairman of reception committee; Mrs. Gladys Sollock, chairman refreshment committee; Mrs. G. J. Pribble, chairman publicity and Mrs. Maggie Woods, chairman of correspondence committee.

Working on various committees are Mrs. Warren Carter, Mrs. Douglas V. Downing, Mrs. Willie De Driscoll, Mrs. Alice Duke, Miss Flo Gardner, Mrs. Jane Hardy, Mrs. Ethel Dickinson, Mrs. Ophelia Harp, Mrs. Peggy Harrison, Mrs. Minnie Lee, Mrs. Anna McMillan, Mrs. Don Lawrence, Mrs. Harline Ontjes, Mrs. Jean Rohde, Mrs. Bertha Siedler, Mrs. W. D. Schott, Mrs. Betty Harper, Miss Agatha

and Mrs. Ruth Allen. Standing are Mrs. Neola Lacy and Mrs. Robbie Hardcastle. Money derived from the exhibit will be used to finance a college scholarship for a deserving girl in the Devine area.

Stroud, Mrs. Marguerite Weiss, Mrs. Ruby Lee Whitfield, Mrs. Annie Mae Wilson, Mrs. Joe Bailey Martin, Mrs. Ruth Littleton, Mrs. Inez Lasley, Mrs. Pat McMillan, Mrs. Harry Davis and Miss Bess Herrington.

The proceeds of the tea are to be applied to the club's scholarship fund which was inaugurated in February 1955 and which is awarded to a worthy girl of the local high school graduating class who would otherwise be unable to continue her education beyond the secondary level.

Invitations have been sent to several noted artists in the South Texas area to exhibit their works of art and to date acceptances have been received from artists of Kerrville, Medina, Hondo, Wetmore and Freer, together with several artists of the Coppini Academy of Fine Arts and artists from the art department of Trinity University of San Antonio. Also several individual artists of San Antonio and Devine have agreed to exhibit their work.

Musical artists from the Lady of the Lake College will furnish music during the exhibit and tea.

## Miss Shirley Zerr Honored Sunday At D'Hanis Shower

**D'HANIS** —Miss Shirley Zerr, bride-elect, was honored with a shower and miscellaneous shower on the afternoon of March 4, from 2:30 to 5:30 in the D'Hanis Auditorium.

Receiving with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Wilfred R. Zerr, Herman Fohn, and Mrs. Joe Fillingmer. Miss Judy Zerr registered the 58 guests.

The tea table was covered with all-over lace cloth underlaid in blue. The centerpiece was of carnations, blue lupines, and daffodils, and the candles were in fruit punch, cake iced in white, and salted nuts were served alternately by Mrs. Mennon, Mrs. Bobby Cox, Mrs. Frank Nehr, Mrs. Patrick McMillan, Miss Rose Zerr, Miss Judy Zerr, Miss Joan Lutz, and Miss Judy Slavik.

Purple azaleas graced the piano, and blue iris was used on the serving tables.

Miss Zerr wore a dress of pink linen with a lace collar; her corsage was white carnations. Mrs. Zerr was in brown print, and her corsage was of pink carnations. Mrs. Fohn in green and white stripes, wore corsages of yellow and of white carnations respectively.

Others on the hostess list were Mrs. Jack Haynes, Mrs. Anna McGraw, Mrs. Richard Zerr, Mrs. Elizabeth Dickens, Mrs. W. A. Nehr, Mrs. Hilary Huser, Mrs. Maurice Koch, Mrs. Don Scott, Mrs. Ursie Turner, Mrs. Billy Miller, Mrs. Glenn Schaefer, Mrs. Frank Modgling, Mrs. Hugo Saathoff, Jr., Misses Theresa Nehr, Margaret Mueller, Anita Poerner, Charlotte Koch, Jacqueline Nehr, Erlene Lutz, and Aylene Lutz.

## Mrs. Whitfield To Head The Devine Garden Club

A regular meeting of the Devine Garden Club was held February 23, in the ranch home of Mrs. Fred Parker with Mrs. Tom Parker as co-hostess.

Mrs. John Ciavarrro presided. Mrs. Martin Dickinson read the minutes and Miss Ida Garrett gave the treasurer's report in the absence of Mrs. E. C. Gramham. Seventeen members and Mrs. Jean Hagar of San Antonio and Mrs. Speed and Mrs. Harrison of Devine, were present.

The nominating committee announced the following officers for next year: President, Mrs. G. D. Whitfield; Vice-President, Mrs. Marjorie Dickinson; Rec. Secretary, Mrs. Joe Brecoe; Cor. Secretary, Mrs. Tom Parker; Treasurer, Mrs. D. Klingeman; Parliamentarian, Mrs. John Ciavarrro; and Center Chairman, Mrs. Fred Parker; Project Chairman, Mrs. O. L. Armstrong; and Scrapbook Chairman, Mrs. O. L. Armstrong.

round table discussion on garden problems.

Mrs. F. L. Owings, flower show chairman, announced that the name for the flower show this year is to be "Sheer Loveliness." This name was suggested by Mrs. Speed and also Mrs. Ciavarrro.

The first White Elephant Sale netted \$15.05, so it was decided to try this again next meeting.

Mrs. Dawn Marshall presented Lana Belew, Kent Hunter, Joanne Briscoe, Tommy Neuman, Thada Bain, Michael Nowlin, Katherine Moss and Floyd Halliburton in a minute in celebration of Washington's birthday.

Mrs. Mordello Vincenzi and Galvan's Cafe made donations to the club.

The club will meet at the ranch home of Mrs. Mordello Vincenzi, March 29 at 4:00 p.m.

Tete and Billie served cherry tarts, hot tea and coffee.

## PTA Sees Dances, Hears O'Connell On Civil Defense

Mrs. Frank O'Neill's dancing classes entertained members of the High School Parent-Teacher Association Monday night, Mar. 5 in the high school auditorium. Each of her six classes performed a ballet or tap number.

Also on the program was Major Daniel O'Connell, civil defense coordinator of Medina County, who told of the role Hondo would be called upon to play in case of national emergency. He also commented that he was having more difficulty getting a program going in Hondo than in other towns of the county. As yet no one has accepted the title of Hondo Defense Chairman. Major O'Connell welcomes the opportunity of speaking before any club or organization desiring to know more about the civil defense program.

## Mrs. Tschirhart Has 81st Birthday

**CASTROVILLE** — Mrs. August Tschirhart, Sr. was honored with a surprise birthday party. She was 81 years young.

Card games were played and songs were sung. Accompaniment was by Mrs. A. H. Tondre on a French harp. Refreshments of cake and coffee, sandwiches and chips were served to Mesdames Dan Burrell, A. H. Tondre, Gabe Tschirhart, Henry Ahr, Adella Koenig, Millie Jagge, Fred Jagge, Frank Tschirhart, Louisa Gerloff, Regina Burrell, Frank Haby, Geo. Gerloff, Ed Haby, Nick Tondre, Emil Biry and Adolph Tschirhart.



## MISS MOEBIUS' ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz M. Moebius of Hondo announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Elizabeth, to Raymond Charles Feilgman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Heiligman of Dunlay.

The date of the wedding will be announced later.



**THE ENGAGEMENT OF MISS NELMA JANICE DIEHL** is being announced by her parents. Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Diehl of D'Hanis. The groom-elect is A-2c James Donald Barge, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Barge of Grand Prairie. A-2c Barge is in the United Air Force and stationed at Laughlin Air Force Base, Del Rio. The wedding will be on June 2, 1956.

—Price Photo

## Bob Kollman Announces Prize Winners

Lucky winners of cash prizes at the opening of Bob Kollman's garage Saturday were Dean Reed, Pedro Martinez and Wood Chapman, according to Kollman.

Reed won \$25, Martinez got \$15 and Chapman, \$10. Kollman was highly pleased with the turnout of people visiting his place of business on opening day. The garage was packed during the time that Red River Dave and other San Antonio entertainers were presenting their show in the afternoon.

## School Election In Castroville On April 7th

**CASTROVILLE** — An election to elect two trustees for the Castroville Rural High School District will be held Saturday, April 7, 1956. Candidates may file with V. L. Fletcher, president of the School Board by March 27.

The two whose terms expire are Tommy Frey and Jim Fitz-Simmon, both of Dunlay.

## Do You Need An Adjustment?

Chiropractic discovered many years ago, that the physical representative of the cause of disease, was a slight or more than slight displacement of one or more joints of the spine. The reason this displacement may cause disease is because it disturbs the nervous system, which controls all activities of the body, by lessening the openings through which the nerves pass.

Your chiropractor dedicates his life to the replacement of these displaced spinal joints and the prevention of their displacement. Any healing that takes place is activated by the controlling ability of your nervous system and this it can do more readily with the joints in place. (The nerve openings thus being normal)

A symptom (sign), that you may need a chiropractic adjustment right away, may be found in the deep muscle tissue between your thumb and first finger of either or both your hands. This muscle tissue will be tight and painful to the touch when a spinal joint has recently been displaced and is causing a nerve irritation. An emergency adjustment within the hour will replace it. If you wait until this tight and painful area disappears by itself, the displacement may become chronic. A sign that a displacement has become chronic can be seen when one leg draws up shorter than the other to make up for the displacement. A chronic spinal joint displacement takes more time and expense to have corrected than an acute displacement, because the body must go back through all the changes it made to the displacement, during the time it was displaced.

To examine the deep muscle tissue between your thumb and first finger correctly to see if you should have your chiropractor examine you for a possible acute spinal displacement: be sure to relax the hand to be examined and feel deep into the tissue with the tips of the thumb and first finger of the opposite hand in a pinching type motion. If this area is soft you most likely do not have a recent spinal joint displacement (Acute Subluxation). If this area is tight and painful on gentle subluxation, it probably occurred and an emergency adjustment is needed right away to help you replace the displacement that is causing the irritation. If while being flat and straight on your back on a level bed one leg measures slightly

shorter than the other, there is a possibility you may have a chronic spinal joint displacement disturbing the nerves that control that side and it should be adjusted, because the legs will remain even between adjustments if this be the only cause of the shortening. Most people can hold an adjustment from 24 to 48 hours until the displacement has been corrected, at which time they no longer need adjustments until the next time they displace another joint or the same one. Falls, jars, shocks, unnatural or poor food substances, etc. cause these joints to become displaced.

In the case of a suspected chronic spinal joint displacement, your chiropractor will most probably take an X-ray to determine which joint has become displaced, if any, and how it should be adjusted acutely. Later X-rays will show when it has been adjusted back to its normal position. The length of time it takes to get the displacement corrected depends on the length of time it has been displaced, how much adaptation the individual body has made to it and therefore, has to make back again, and the individual body's ability to change back to normal. Some bodies are more powerful than others and change quicker of course.

Your chiropractor wants to help you keep your all-controlling nervous system free from disturbance by displaced spinal joints, so it may do its job of controlling all the other systems in your body more efficiently. There is a chiropractor near you, so check yourself from time to time and see him if you have spinal joint displacements or suspect that you may. He will have nothing to adjust if you don't have any displacements, so it will pay to see him. His main job is to help you replace your displaced spinal joints and your nervous systems' job is to control your entire body as well as activate all healing. If your nervous system is not disturbed it can do its job more perfectly and thus maintain a more perfect healthy body.

Take care of your nervous system by keeping your spine in line and it will take better care of you.

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## Castroville News

By Miss Ruth Lawler

Miss Ruth Curry Lawler is in Houston this weekend attending the Houston Fine Arts Forum under the auspices of The Museum of Fine Arts of Houston. The theme is "The American Heritage and the Southwest". The program opens with a dinner at the Houston Club with Marshall B. Davidson, Editor of Publications, The Metropolitan Museum of Art as guest speaker, Saturday and Sunday there are meetings at the Museum, Dr. Americo Castro and Henry N. Flynt, collector will be the speakers.

Twenty-nine members of the Bracketville Women's Club visited Castroville Saturday morning. The group was enroute to San Antonio in a chartered bus.

The Castro Garden Club will meet Tuesday, March 13 at the Vance House. An unusually interesting program has been planned and all members are asked to attend. Final plans for the Historical Pilgrimage to be held on Sunday, April 8 will be announced

March is known as "Clean-Up" month. Let's get started early so Castroville will be at its best for Easter Sunday.

## MAKE EVERY DAY S-D DAY



## WINDROW Drug Store

Sinclair Service Station

## Garden Club

## Meet Postponed

The arranger scheduled to appear before the Hondo Garden Club Friday will not be able to come and so the meeting has been postponed until Friday, Mar. 16, according to Mrs. E. L. Kelley, president.

On that date, the club will have a guest arranger from Medina. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Hugh Meyer.

## Here In Hondo

A weekend guest of the S. W. T. Lanham's was Mrs. Lanham's mother, Mrs. J. M. Nash of Waco.

Mrs. A. A. Wiede of SA was out Saturday visiting her brother-in-law and sister, M&M Bob Kollman.

Master Richard Fly spent Wednesday with his grandparents, the O. A. Flys while his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Dick Fly of Rock Springs attended a meeting in SA.

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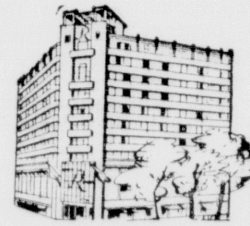
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## CLASSIFICATIONS

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THIS WEEK NUMBER 38

### 1. FOR SALE

FOR THE BEST deal on any new car or truck see Ray Jungman, Phone 32, Castroville. (t31)  
FOR SALE: German Shepherd pups; excellent blood line; AKC registered, HA 62879. (t3c37)

"JUST ARRIVED! New shipment of beautiful summer jewelry. \$1.00 and up. Dorothy's Gifts, Highway Service Store, Castroville." (t3c38)

FOR SALE: Brand new G. E. 8 ft. refrigerator. Only \$169.95. De Montel. (t3c37)

FOR SALE: Universal sewing machines. Brand new. Portable and console models. De Montel's. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: Rare Parakeets, Albinos, red-eyed Lutinos; 709 21st St. (t3c36)

FOR SALE: C Super Domino, Bull Calf, March 2, 1954, \$300.00. Leon A. Suehs, Castroville. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: Used G. E. electric range; good condition. Only \$65. De Montel. (t3c37)

FOR SALE: 6 registered polled Hereford bulls from 11 to 15 months old priced from \$225.00 to \$300.00. M. Schuchart and Sons, Rio Medina, Texas (2tp38)

FOR SALE: All kinds of V-type belts. Also all types of tractor fan belts. Hondo Auto Parts, 1220 18th St. (t3c29)

SPECIAL! One ton Frederick air conditioner; complete with thermostat. Limited supply! \$219.95. De Montel's. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: Used Easy Spin Drier Washer in good condition; one wringer-type washer. De Montel. (t3c37)

Direct from authorized dealer—1956 Mercury with radio, heater; as low as \$2250.00. Ray Jungman, Castroville, Tex. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: Sweet and regular Sudan seed, \$6 per hundred. Edgar Saathoff, HA 62930. (t3c36)

FOR SALE: Tomato plants. See Mr. Marek at August Timmerman residence. (t3c38)

CERTIFIED RENNELS, 11 Broomcorn seed at \$8.75 per bushel. Patton & Cardwell, Seckmen, Box 296, Lockhart, Texas. (t3c36)

FOR MORE gas mileage, use Comeco Super. Rath Motor Co. (t3c16)

FOR SALE: 500 watt used portable electric plant with gasoline motor. \$60.00. Gaines Hdq. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: 1953 Ford Country Sedan Station Wagon—8 passenger; radio and heater; excellent condition; low mileage "You can steal this one." See at Soape Tire Store, 1014 18th or phone HA 62301. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: '56 Fords, 202 h. p.; '56 Mercurs, 225 h. p.; a few '56 Chevys, to 205 h. p. Real deal! Will undersell! See Ray Jungman, phone 32, Castroville. (t3c18)

NEW SELECTION of gifts. Just arrived. Come in and browse. Dorothy's Gifts, Castroville. (t3c38)

NEW G. E. Automatic Washers, 10 lb. capacity, Model 750N. Regular price \$329.95; \$279.95 with trade-in—save \$50.00. Gene Suehs Highway Service Store, Castroville. (t3c38)

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NEED SOMETHING?  
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FOR SALE: Safeguard checkwriter, never used, complete with your own personalized nameplate. Was \$99.50, now \$79.50. Guards against altered checks. Anvil Herald Office Supply, Ph. HA 6-3346. (t3c37)

### 2. FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE

TO SETTLE THE BURGER ESTATE: Old country home; 1 1/4 acres on pavement, near Castroville. \$2500.00 in cash will buy. E. K. Wiemer, 323 Springwood Lane, Taylor 60510, San Antonio. (t3c37)

WE HAVE SIX TAVERNS, and courts at very reasonable prices, and terms. Also all kinds of other property—anywhere in Medina Co. Ernest A. Bende, Agt., Wood & Wood Realtors. (t3c38)

FOR SALE: 4-room house, to be moved off premises. Mrs. L. E. Heath, HA-62655. (t3c38)

FOR SALE OR LEASE: The Macdonald Shooting Club, Inc., in Macdonald, Texas. Apply at 3019 W. Houston, San Antonio, 7, Texas. (t3c31)

FOR SALE: 713 1/2 acre Henry Kauffman ranch near LaCoste; \$100.00 per acre, half cash, balance terms 4 percent interest. Owner will carry note. W. G. Koehler, 1202 Kayton, San Antonio, Texas, Ph. LE 6-3551. (t3c37)

FOR SALE: Three bedroom home at 1151 24th St., Hondo. F. H. A. loan now available. Contact R. L. Neel, Box 529, Alice, Texas. (t3c34)

FOR SALE: Building sites in Barkuloo addition. Also a 33-acre farm with 6-room home near D'Hanis. See Davis of Hondo Land Co. Dial HA 6-2536 if you have property to sell or rent. (t3c12)

LIST YOUR REAL Estate, with Wood & Wood. E. A. Bende, Agent. We have a lot of prospects, and a good list to choose from. (t3c39)

### 3. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 4 rooms and bath. For particulars see or phone Mrs. Elmer Nietenhoefer, HA 6-2979 after 3 p.m. or Saturday. (t3c37)

MY PLACE IS FOR RENT: 6 large rooms; modern equipped; large garden equipped to irrigate; plenty of water; peach trees; 6 miles south on Yancey Road. Earl Watson. (2tp38)

FOR RENT: Three-room house with carport; furnished except living room. Mrs. Emilie Leinweber, 909 15th St., ph. HA-62403. (3tp38)

FOR RENT: Rooms and apts. Dial HA 6-2777, Henry Weyand. (t3c17)

### 4. BUSINESS SERVICE

LET ME HELP with your income tax and bookkeeping problems: 25 years experience. J. E. Ham, Room 20C, Hondo National Bank Bldg., Telephone 6-2153. (t3c30)

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### 4. BUSINESS SERVICE

CUTTER BLACKLEGOL: Protects any age calf for life at Fly Drug Co. (t3c)

PLEASE REMEMBER: We can go anywhere when our services are desired—day or night. Just ring dial HA 6-2224 and we will attend to everything. John A. Horger, Funeral Director. (t3c)

If you want to drink that's your business. If you want to stop that's our business. P. O. Box 134, Alcoholics Anonymous. (t3c16)

WE BUY poultry and eggs. Mussman Produce, 1703 Ave K, phone HA 6-2161. (t3c1)

RADIO AND TV SERVICE. We replace what is necessary. We repair picture tubes. THE RANCH STORE, phone HA 6-2132. (t3c45)

### 5. WANTED

### 6. HELP WANTED

### 7. LOST AND FOUND

### 8. MISCELLANEOUS

TRY A VAPO-SWAT - the most wanted insect control in America today. Annie E. Bohmfalk, 1105 Ave. M, Phone HA-62250. (t3c3)

DEVINE REST HOME: Ideal place for your loved ones. Practical nurses day and night. We do the laundry, shave, cut hair and furnish three good meals daily. Reasonable monthly or weekly rates. Men and women taken. Windy Knoll Drive. Mrs. Janie Orozco, Box 532, Devine, Texas. (t3c16)

LADIES: Part-time work in your home - 4 hours per day; must have private telephone. For interview contact Wayne Lee, 337 New Moore Bldg., San Antonio 5, Texas. (t3c33)

### 9. REGULAR MEETING

### Hondo City

Lodge No. 756

A. F. & A. M.

Regular Stated Communications Mon., March 12, 1956 at 7:30 P. M. Visitors Welcome.  
Jack R. Garrison, W. M.  
O. L. Moss, Sec.

### 11. LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF MEDINA  
IN RE: ESTATES OF LAUREL JEAN CORDER, ELIZABETH JOSEPHINE CORDER, MARY ETHEL CORDER AND NELSON HAROLD CORDER, MINORS  
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE ON REAL ESTATE OF SAID MINORS, AS WELL AS TO EXERCISE THE EXECUTIVE LEASING RIGHTS OWNED BY THEM IN CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN ADDITIONAL MINERALS OWNED BY ANOTHER

Notice is hereby given that I, Ethel Corder, Guardian of the Estates of Laurel Jean Corder, Elizabeth Josephine Corder, Mary Ethel Corder and Nelson Harold Corder, Minors, did on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1956, file my sworn application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Medina County, Texas, authorizing me as Guardian of the Estates of said minors, to make an oil, gas and mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct on the said minors' jointly owned undivided mineral interest (each of said minors owning an undivided 1/4 interest in said aggregate 1/4 mineral interest), subject to a life estate in an undivided 1-3 thereof, owned by Ethel Corder, such lease to also be in exercise of the executive mineral leasing rights likewise owned by said minors jointly, in equal proportions, in the additional 1/4 interest in the minerals owned by P. C. Coates, et ux, Nettie, in the hereinafter described land, said land being situated in Pecos and Terrell Counties, Texas, to-wit:  
Sections 40 and 41, Block 2, CCSD & RGNG Rv.  
Surveys in Terrell County, Texas; and Section 45, Block 2, CCSD & RGNG Rv. Co. Surveys in Pecos County, Texas.  
Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Medina County, Texas, in the County Courtroom, in the Courthouse of Medina County, Texas at Hondo, Texas, on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1956, at ten o'clock a.m.  
Signed Ethel Corder, Guardian of the Estates of said Minors (t3c37)

NOTICE  
Following is a list of certified candidates for the office of Alderman in the governing body of the City of Castroville, Texas. Three to be elected. General City

### 11. LEGAL NOTICES

Election to be held at the City Office, April 3, 1956.  
Wilfred A. Tschirhart  
Frank J. Keller  
Thomas V. Hoog  
Will F. Naegelin  
Jordan T. Lawler  
Elton T. Tondre  
Signed (Mrs.) Charlotte Lafferty, City Sec'y

### NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF MEDINA  
CITY OF CASTROVILLE  
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF CASTROVILLE, TEXAS:  
TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 3rd day of April, 1956 in the City of Castroville, Texas, at the place, in the manner, and for the officials set forth in the attached copy of an order for City Officers' Election, duly adopted by the Mayor of said City on the 28th day of February, 1956. Said attached order for City Officers' Election being made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.  
(Mrs.) Charlotte Lafferty  
City Secretary  
ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF MEDINA  
CITY OF CASTROVILLE  
ELECTION ORDER  
I, M. Woodrow Sharp, Mayor of the City of Castroville, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Castroville, on April third, 1956, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:  
Aldermen (3)  
and that said election shall be held at the City Office in Castroville, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Managers thereof, to-wit: W. W. Wernette, Judge; Helen C. Murrell, Clerk, and Mrs. W. L. Adams, Clerk.

NOTICE  
To those indebted to the Estate of Henry Walter, Deceased, and to those having claims against said estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Alfred A. Brown was duly appointed as independent executor of the estate of Henry Walter, deceased, by the Hon. A. H. Rothe, County Judge of Medina County, Texas, on March 1st 1956. And those indebted, to said estate are hereby notified to come forward and make payment, and those having claims against said estate to present such claims, within the time and in the manner prescribed by law, to the undersigned whose address is 135 Avandale Avenue, San Antonio 10 Texas.

Signed Alfred A. Brown, Independent Executor of the Estate of Henry Walter, Deceased. (t3c38)

ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF MEDINA  
CITY OF HONDO  
ELECTION ORDER

I, O. A. FLY, Mayor of the City of Hondo, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Hondo, on April 3, 1956, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:  
Three (3) Aldermen;  
and, that said election shall be held at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed Managers thereof, to-wit:

Mr. C. J. Monkhouse, Judge  
Mrs. R. R. Corder, Clerk  
Mrs. W. A. Bende, Clerk  
The City Marshall is hereby directed and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty days before the date of said election.  
Signed and executed on this 1st day of February A.D. 1956.  
Signed O. A. FLY  
Mayor, City of Hondo, Texas  
SEAL

ATTEST:  
Signed O. L. MOSS  
City Secretary (t3c38)

### 12. CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends who have remembered us in so many wonderful ways during the long illness of Mrs. Taylor and the loss of our baby boy.  
The John W. Taylor family (1tp38)

Our heartfelt gratitude is hereby extended to relatives and friends for their acts of kindness and words of sympathy at the death of our beloved mother, the late Frieda M. Schmidt. Our gratitude also goes out to the pastor Rev. K. Windecker for his ministrations and to all others for their floral offerings.  
The family of Mrs. Schmidt (t3c38)

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### Justice Court

Following are the cases tried in the Justice Court. The amount of the fine only is given and the court costs are an additional charge.  
J. A. Perales, drunk in public place, fined \$5  
C. H. Rugh, overgross weight, fined \$5  
A. N. Enloe, improper license plate, fined \$5

### Political

### Announcements

### MEDINA COUNTY

The Hondo Anvil Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Medina County subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
R. S. (Bob) Crawford, Jr.

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Rates: The following schedule of rates for political announcements in this paper entitle the candidate to publication of his name and the office which he seeks in this column from the time of the first Democratic primary; then if there be a run-off election, his name will be carried up to time of the run-off election.

NOTE: Political advertising in this paper will be accepted at the same rates as applied to all other types of advertising. All political advertising is PAYABLE IN ADVANCE complying with State laws governing the acceptance of such advertising. All political advertising submitted for publication must be signed.  
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## St. Mary's Band Concert To Benefit Lacoste Band

By Mrs. R. R. Koch

LACOSTE — There will be an evening of entertainment at the LaCoste High School Gym at LaCoste on Monday, March 12th at 8:00 p.m. highlighted by the appearance of the 80 piece Symphonic Band of St. Mary's University. In addition to the concert, attendance prizes will be given. Proceeds from the entertainment will go to LaCoste and Castroville Band Boosters Club. Adults will pay 75c, students 35c.

M&M Robert Grossenbacher of Greenville, S. C., proudly announce the arrival of a baby girl on Monday, March 5th. The proud grandparents are Mrs. E. Stowe of SA and M&M Wilfred F. Biediger of LaCoste.

M&M Ernest Hutzler and sons, Matthew and Harley of the Sauz were Sunday evening visitors of M&M Bernard Zinsmeyer and sons, Anthony, Leonard and Robert.

Mrs. U. B. Kempf of Castroville visited here Tuesday with Mrs. Helena Keller.

M&M George Zuercher and son Allen visited M&M A. J. Graff and son Ralph of Hondo on Sunday.

Mrs. Hugo Adam and children and Mrs. Mary Kauffman were Lytle visitors Monday afternoon.

M&M W. F. Biediger spent Sunday afternoon in SA with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parma and son.

M&M John Lloyd Zuercher were Hondo business visitors Monday morning.

M&M Elmer Haller and daughter Linda and Miss Frances Haller of Natalia visited M&M Milton Salzmann and children Friday evening.

M&M Clemens Kempf and daughter of Castroville were business visitors here on Saturday.

M&M Ben Yancev and children and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and son of SA and Mrs. Reba Keller of here visited with Mrs. Helena Keller Tuesday.

Joe Lessing of Macdona was a

visitor in town Monday afternoon.

Max Bippert of the Sauz was a visitor in town Monday.

Mrs. Della Hitzfelder and Mrs. Theresa Fitzpatrick and children of Hondo spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. H. N. Jungman and children Karen and Hal.

Mrs. George Kunze and Mrs. Wilfred Ahr were SA visitors last Monday.

Louis Mangold of Castroville visited in the William Keller home last week Wednesday.

Miss Anita Hitzfelder spent the day Sunday with Miss Virdie Harrold of Rt. 9, SA.

Mrs. Milton Salzman and daughter Donna Deene, spent last Tuesday with M&M Frank Zinsmeyer and M&M Richard Haby of Spindletop.

M&M Wilfred Hutzler, Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of M&M Robert Hutzler and son.

Mrs. W. F. Biediger left Wednesday by plane for Greenville, S. C. where she will visit for several weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, M&M Robert Biediger and infant daughter.

M&M H. N. Jungman, Karen and Hal, were Hondo business visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. M. Pittman of Dunlay and Miss Lena Geiger of here were Hondo business visitors Tuesday.

Joe Adam is a patient at the Santa Rosa Hospital in S. A. Friends are happy to hear Mr. Adam is doing nicely and wish him a speedy recovery.

M&M Robert Grossenbacher visited M&M Ed Weimer in SA Friday.

Mrs. George Zinsmeyer spent Saturday afternoon in Castroville with Mrs. Elizabeth Adam and daughter Helen.

M&M Verner Bippert and daughter of College Station spent the weekend in R. D. Bippert and Bernard Rihn homes.

Among those of here who attended the recreation training school at Devine last Monday were Mesdames John Heisser,

Hugo Adam, Clarence Stein, A. B. Peikert, M. F. Musick and Francis Echtle.

Mrs. Robert Rihn of Castroville visited relatives here Friday.

M&M Robert Grossenbacher were SA business visitors Saturday.

M&M R. A. Biediger and daughter Dorothy, visited their son, Malcolm at St. John's Seminary in SA Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Douglas of SA spent Thursday night with M&M Robert Grossenbacher.

Mrs. Henry Salzman and Mrs. Milton Salzman and daughter were Hondo visitors last Thursday.

M&M Robert Grossenbacher attended a birthday party at Lytle Thursday evening at the home of M&M J. B. Pate and family. The party was in honor of Mrs. Pate.

Mrs. Richard Zinsmeyer of the Sauz visited in the George Zinsmeyer home Monday.

M&M Alex Hitzfelder and children of Moore visited here Saturday evening with M&M R. A. Biediger and Carroll and Dorothy.

Visitors of Mrs. Reba Keller during the week were Mrs. Adolph Mangold, Mrs. Leroy Haby and daughters of Castroville.

Mrs. Marvin Franger and son of Delta, Mrs. Oscar Hutzler, Mrs. John Zuercher, Mrs. Louis Gross, and Mrs. Herbert Adam.

Mrs. George Kunze and Mrs. H. N. Jungman were brief visitors in the Randolph Koch home Wednesday morning.

Edwin Rihn and son Edwin, Jr. were visitors in town Monday.

Sunday, Feb. 26 M&M Bernard Zinsmeyer and sons, Anthony, Leonard and Robert, attended the open house at the Assumption Seminary featuring the newly dedicated St. Alice's Hall in SA.

In the evening they also visited with M&M Harold Hutzler and daughters.

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## HD CLUB DOINGS

Devine Club met Friday the 24th with Mrs. D. E. Hunter, The co-hostess was Mrs. Paul Collins. Recreation was led by Mrs. D. G. Odom and Mrs. D. E. Hunter.

Mrs. W. Pitts gave the council report.

The annual style show will be at LaCoste April 14. Committee appointed on this includes: Mrs. Gladys Sollock, Mrs. Edgar Sollock, Mrs. Frank Peterson and Mrs. Wayne Clawson. They plan in some way to work in the theme of the Cactus Zoo in their exhibit.

The school of recreation was held Monday the 27th at the Devine Methodist Fellowship Hall. Representing the Devine Club were Mesdames W. Pitts, Wayne Clawson, Frank Peterson, Gladys Sollock, D. G. Odom and D. E. Hunter.

Clothing leaders appointed were Mrs. W. C. Brissenden and Mrs. L. E. Boone.

Mrs. Estella Strayhorn gave a lecture on the preservation of canned foods. She demonstrated the new "One Step" method of canning foods by which one can save half the time required by the old method. The members judged cans of vegetables that were exhibited.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following: Madames Frank Peterson, Paul Collins, W. Pitts, D. E. Hunter, Gladys Sollock, Edgar Sollock, Wyverne Platt, Arthur Killough, W. C. Brissenden, L. E. Boone, O. L. Armstrong, D. G. Odom, Marvin Rucker and Estella Strayhorn.

The next meeting will be held March 16 in the I. O. O. F. Hall, with Mrs. Arthur Killough and Mrs. Robbie Hardcastle as co-hostesses.

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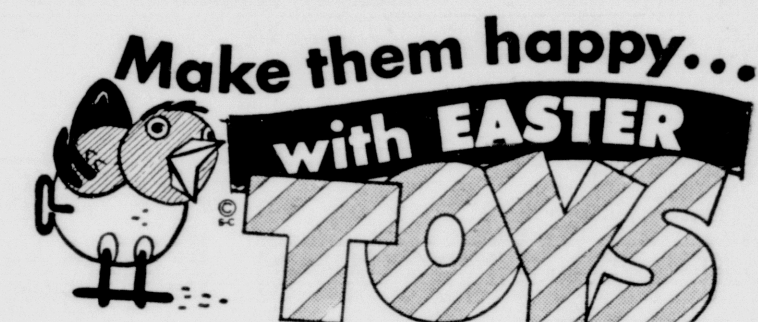
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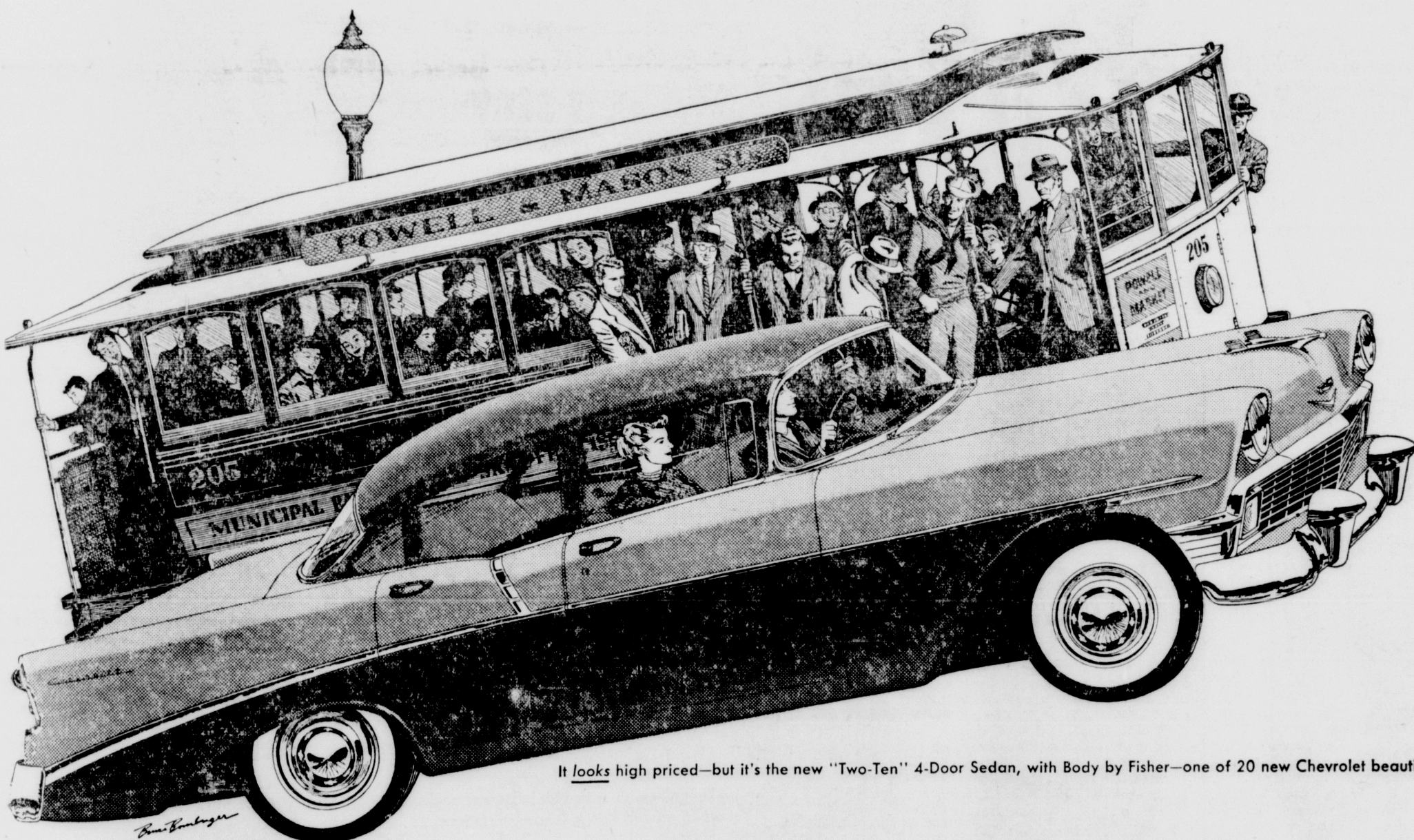
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## H. D. CLUB DOINGS

The Leinweber H. D. Club met Feb. 23 at the home of Mrs. Olga Nietenhoefer with seven members, one visitor and Mrs. Estella Strayhorn, the agent, present.

Mrs. Strayhorn gave a demonstration and explained the new method of cold-pack canning.

Bingo was played for recreation.

The hostess served chocolate pie and coffee for refreshments.

The club's next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Willie Nietenhoefer on March 15.

The Delladona H. D. Club met Tuesday, Feb. 28, at the club house with 13 members and two visitors present.

Mrs. Albert Cockran and Mrs. E. J. Trip gave a demonstration on basic pattern alterations and up-to-date style trends.

Mrs. W. R. Beadle of Von Ormy gave an exercise demonstration for good posture.

Cherry pie and coffee were served by Mrs. George Winkler, Mrs. Harold Balmos and Miss Emma Lessing.

## CORPORATION CITY COURT

Fined in city court, which is conducted by Jack Fusselman, last week were:

Gary W. Crane, disturbing the peace, fined \$50.

Joseph Burke, disturbing the peace, fined \$50.

Robert E. Newman, speeding, fined \$1.

William M. Anderson, running red light, fined \$1.

## KONO 860

### SAN ANTONIO

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday

5:00 Daybreakers

7:45 News

8:00 Daybreakers

9:00 For Members Only

12:00 News

12:15 Farm News

(FFA on Saturdays)

12:30 Texas Top Hands

(County Agent on Saturdays)

1:00 Market Reports

1:15 Saddle Pals

3:00 Melody Matinee

5:30 News

6:00 Serenade

8:00 Cowboy Jamboree

11:00 All Night Serenade

## SETTLEMENT NEWS

By Miss Carmen J. Bayer

Carolyn Jagge is recovering from mumps after being in bed for a week.

Visiting with M&M Louis Mehr Sunday were M&M H. J. Boehle.

Mrs. Lina Fuos spent last Wednesday at Three Points with sister Emma.

Sunday dinner guests of M&M Wilfred Moehring were M&M Albert Groff, Marlin and Milton of Charlotte and M&M Erwin Biediger, Kay and Vickie Ann. In the afternoon they were joined by M&M Hugo Naegelin and daughter, Frances of Rio Medina.

Mrs. Wilfred Hoffman and Mrs. Sterley Jagge were in SA last Wednesday.

M&M Cornelius Haby and Stanley, and Mrs. Edmund Haby spent the day at M&M Allen Haby Sunday.

Tuesday Mrs. Philip Haby paid a visit to M&M Elmer Biediger.

M&M Rudolph Krenmueller visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bayer and family and Carolyn Bendele.

M&M Sam Tschirhart spent Sunday at Big Foot with the Lawrence Tschirhart and family.

M&M John Horecka and family called on M&M Alfred Boehle and Carolyn Sunday. Also visiting there were Harry Heyen and daughter Sue Karen Heyen and M&M Franklin Muennink who spent the day.

Monday night M&M Elmer Biediger and Shelia called on M&M Erwin Biediger, Kay and Vickie Ann.

M&M Oscar Karm visited Sunday evening with M&M Sam Tschirhart.

Mrs. Millie Jagge spent Sunday at M&M Sterley Jagge and Carolyn.

Henry Gross, Mrs. Angeline Burger, and M&M J. D. Schweers were at the Gross Ranch Sunday.

M&M Harvey Haby and family visited with his parents, M&M Allen Haby Friday.

Mrs. Wengenroth called at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biediger and family Thursday.

M&M Sam Tschirhart and Jacob and Miss Kay Haass visited Friday evening at SA with M&M P. L. Tschirhart.

M&M Joe Geant of Castroville visited Thursday night with M&M Wilfred Moehring.

Mr. Herbert Erck visited Sunday with M&M Allen Haby.

Mrs. Sam Tschirhart and Mrs. J. D. Schweers visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Victor Saathoff and girls and called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Breiten family.

Barbara Ann Saathoff was a patient at the Medina Hospital several days. She's home and doing nicely. We hope she will soon be well enough to go back to school.

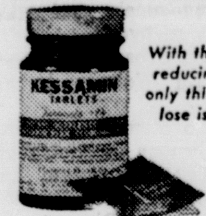
Mrs. Wilfred Hoffman visited shortly with Mrs. Louis Mehr Monday afternoon.

M&M John Mechler of Southton stopped by Mrs. J. D. Schweers Monday evening.

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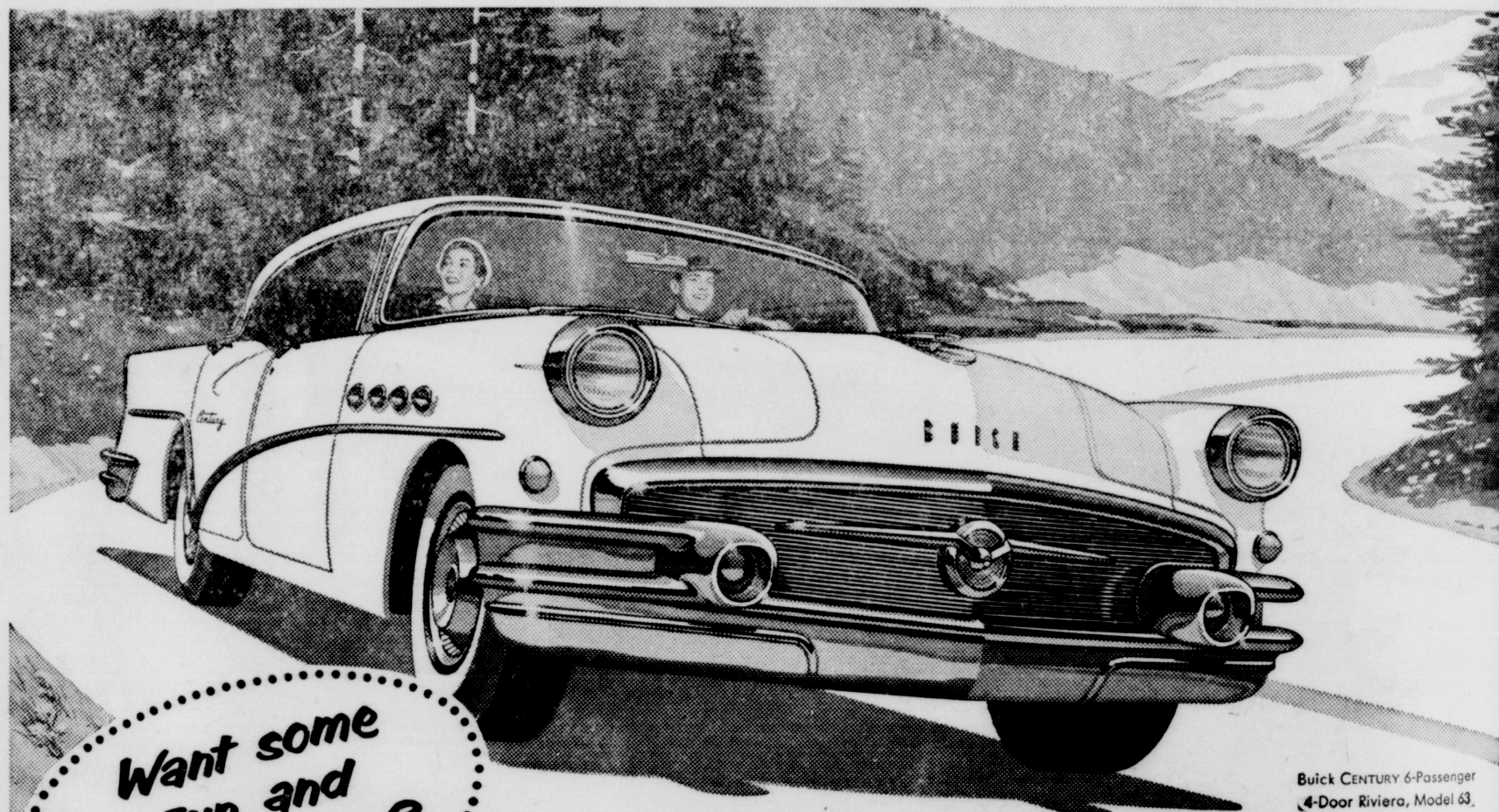
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## QUIHI NEWS

By Mrs. Jack Sharp

M&M C. C. Cave were week-end visitors in Brady. They were accompanied home by their two children, who had been visiting with their grandparents, M&M Rodgers.

The home of Mrs. Louis Oefinger was the scene of a pink and blue shower, honoring Mrs. Clint Farrel on Friday evening, Mar. 2. Those enjoying the evening with Mrs. Oefinger and Mrs. Farrel were Mesdames Kite, Baggett, Wunderlich, Moore, Britz, Fusselman, Norman, Smith, Clements and Cloudt.

After playing four games and opening of the gifts, Mrs. Oefinger served cake, cookies, punch and mints.

M&M Franklin Muennink, Mr.

Wilkes Wiemers and daughters, Joyce and Judy, visited Duane Wiemers at Santa Rosa Hospital Sunday afternoon. Duane's leg has improved enough that the doctor thinks Duane will be able to come home Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hornung were Monday afternoon visitors in the Frank Muennink home.

Sunday dinner guests of M&M Jacob Schweers were M&M C. F. Schweers. They were joined in the afternoon by M&M Theo Cagle and Peggy, and Mrs. Clifford Bohmfalk and Nelva.

Billy and Kathy Mooney were Saturday afternoon visitors of Loretta and J. E. Saathoff.

M&M Geo. Hartmann and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schlenz were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lindeburg.

M&M Wesley Wiemers and children, Evelyn, Dorothy, Betty, and James were Sunday evening visitors of M&M Alvin Dornbusch and family, M&M Edwin Meier and daughters, and Mrs. Helene Schroeder in Knippa. They also attended church services Sunday evening.

We are sorry to report that Loretta Jean Saathoff had the misfortune of breaking an arm Thursday evening.

M&M Elgin Stiegler were Thursday evening visitors in the B. G. Wiemers home.

Mrs. Arthur Schulte and Lonnie Marie, and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff visited Mrs. Anton Balzen in SA Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Burke and son of New Braunfels spent the week-end visiting with M&M B. G. Wiemers, Curtis, and Kathleen.

Mrs. John Wiemers of SA now but formerly of Dunlay, was a greasily surprised Sunday afternoon on her eightieth birthday at the home of M&M Geo. H. Wiemers.

Those enjoying the surprise besides Mrs. Wiemers and M&M Geo. H. Wiemers were: M&M Harold Clemons, M&M Milton Wiemers, Bruce and Karen, Mrs. T. J. Dickson, M&M C. E. Buss all of SA; M&M Chris Wiemers of Seguin; Mrs. Eddie Haby, Mrs. Joe Steinle, and Mrs. Lawrence Fritz of Dunlay; Mrs. Ben Caulk of SA; M&M Edwin Wiemers, Mrs. Rosa Brucks and her mother, Mrs. Riff, M&M George Boehle, M&M Otto Wiemers, Marvin Wiemers, Mrs. John Ross Wentz, Mrs. Willie Hartmann, Mrs. Frank Zerr, Mrs. Lena Meier Haby and M&M Wesley Wiemers and children, Evelyn, Dorothy, Betty and James.

Mrs. Wiemers was the recipient of many nice gifts, Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, cakes, cookies and coffee were served.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Alfred Saathoff home were M&M Larry Coyne of SA and Mrs. Herman Gerdes.

Curtis Wiemers and his friend, Jack Burke of New Braunfels spent Saturday night at the B. G. Wiemers ranch.

M&M Robert Riff were Sunday visitors of M&M B. G. Wiemers.

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## Devine Man In Army

### Demonstration

Lt. Col. Clyde B. Kennington, 49, son of Mrs. J. B. Kennington, Devine, took part in a field demonstration of mass atomic casualty treatment at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., March 2.

The demonstration was held by the Army Medical Service School for high ranking Army and civilian medical and administrative officers. It illustrated how trained medical Army personnel would sort patients according to wounds and evacuate them for further medical care, in the event of an atomic attack.

Colonel Kennington is commanding officer of the school's 2d Battalion. He was graduated from Texas A. & M. College before entering the Army in 1940.

His wife, Danetta, is with him at Fort Houston.

## Here In Hondo

M&M H. H. Saathoff and M&M Welton Boehme, Gary and Garland visited M&M H. G. Boehle Sunday.

M&M Steve Wipff and family, Donald and Carolyn Muennink visited Mrs. F. F. Muennink Sunday.

Mrs. Willis Johnson and Mrs. Wipff visited M&M Leslie Muennink at their new home Sunday.

Mrs. Rudy Schott and Rocky and Mrs. Charles Schott visited M&M H. G. Boehle Saturday.

M&M Walter Muennink spent the weekend at Houston and Weimar visiting M&M John Miakeska and M&M Ed Holik. Saturday night they all attended the Houston Fat Stock show and rodeo.

M&M Louis Geuea were in SA Wednesday on business.

## Happy Birthday

Please submit names for this column at least two weeks in advance of birthday.

Mrs. Erwin Riff, Mar. 12

Donald Ray Haby, Mar. 14

R. J. Koch, Mar. 14

Robert Andrew Schweers, Mar. 15

Doris Elaine Boehle, Mar. 17

Linda Smith, Mar. 17

Frances Louise Caldwell, Mar. 17

Mrs. John Welch, Mar. 17

Beverly Nester, Mar. 18

Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mar. 18

Mrs. R. V. Stanga, Mar. 18

Mrs. Reger, Mar. 18

Gordon Olen Wiemers, Mar. 18

R. B. Thompson, Mar. 18

Mrs. Aaron Coon, Mar. 11

## Castroville News

By Mrs. Denis Tschirhart

Mrs. O. J. Smith and sons Alan, Mike and Gary left Tuesday night by plane for Ramey Air Force Base, Puerto Rico where their husband and father is stationed. They have been visiting in the home of M&M Albert Mechler, Sr. the past month.

Several from Castroville enjoyed a style show Friday evening in SA, including Mrs. A. A. Murrell and Helen, Ann Williamson, Mrs. W. R. Griggs and Gaye and Mary.

Nelson Bippert from the University of Texas visited his parents, M&M C. C. Bippert over the weekend.

Mrs. Jack Johnston of Sabinal, M&M Howard Pedigo and daughters of Crystal City were visiting in the Tom Cullins home for the weekend.

Fred Biry and son Alfred, Miss Rose Haas and Mrs. Ervin Loesberg were Saturday visitors of M&M Emil Biry.

M&M Winifred Whitehead spent the weekend in Friddy with M&M Milton Meier and son.

Albert Karm spent the weekend in Corpus with M&M Basil Karm and family.

Mrs. Fred Lieber, Mrs. Frank Russell and Mrs. Emmett Wurzbach attended the funeral of Mrs. L. E. Hohl, mother of Leroy Hohl in Houston last week. They were accompanied home by Mrs. D. J. Fernbach and Susan Dee for several days.

M&M Wendell Griggs and family enjoyed a barbecue dinner with M&M Chuck Green Saturday evening.

M&M William Tschirhart and son, M&M Maurice Rihn and daughters spent Sunday in Austin with M&M Harold Hans and daughter, Mary Cecile returned with them to spend the week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Hans.

M&M J. F. Schott are vacationing in Hot Springs for several weeks.

M&M Mike Naegelin of SA visited relatives here Sunday.

M&M Paul Poerner and Mrs. Oscar Rohrbach and son Ricky visited with Judge and Mrs. Joe Bader Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sgt. and Mrs. Aelred Ahr and daughters, M&M Ferdinand Tschirhart and Chris Lindsey, M&M Alex Tschirhart, Mrs. Denis Tschirhart and Henry Ahr were on hand to help Mrs. Ahr celebrate her 72nd birthday Sunday. On Monday visitors of the Ahr's were M&M Richard Ahr of New Braunfels.

M&M Marvin Bippert are the proud parents of an infant son born on Feb. 28 at Castroville Clinic. He is welcomed by an older sister, Rosanne.

Tommy Seale of Del Rio, L. C. Arnold of Pearsall, Aubrey Driscoll of Devine and Victor Tondre of here, flew to Lufkin for a tour of a pine lumber company at Diboll.

Guests of M&M Charles Suehs, Jr. and family the past week, were friends from St. Louis.

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# SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By Dr. John H. Jennings

## Baseball Owls Win Opener

The Hondo Owls opened their baseball season in winning fashion last week as they took a 11 to 4 decision from Pearsall. The two teams played again Thursday as the Anvil Herald went to press.

## Schulte & Hartman

Big Left Hander Richard Schulte was Coach Max Carver's starting mound choice and he was followed by three fine innings from the even bigger, right handed Alvin Hartman. Both of these boys will carry the pitching chores for the Owls this year. When one is pitching, the other will play 1st base.

Pearsall was able to gather only 3 hits off the left and right handed offering of Schulte and Hartman.

## Billy Neuman Hitting

Center Fielder Billy Neuman was the hitting star as he collected 4 for 5. Shortstop W. J. Schueers and third baseman Jug Wiewers got 2 hits apiece while Donnie Neuman, Pete Angermiller and catcher Jerry Muennink each got one hit.

## Baseball Outlook

The Owls should fare very well in their baseball efforts this year, though Coach Carver does have a number of inexperienced positions. Jerry Muennink is an old hand behind the plate and should make the Owls rate high in this position. The pitching should be very good too. Both Hartman and Schulte are big, strong boys who have been on the mound before; however, at the moment, this is the extent of the front line pitching staff. First base is no problem as Hartman and Schulte will alternate there when not on the rubber. Second base is an untested spot as Gary Balzen and Johnny Meyer try to build this position. W. J. Schueers has been moved from third to short and a lot of the Owl success will depend on this move. A fine fielding shortstop is a big asset to any team. Big Jug Wiewers will hold down the hot corner and he should do alright. In the batting order, Billy Neuman heads the outfield list. He is a fine left handed hitter. The other outfielders are lesser known to baseball and how they produce is another key to the Owl success. They include Pete Angermiller, Donnie Neuman, Wayne Balzen and Ray Highsmith. Here are the other boys looking for a way to play some baseball for the Owls: Bernie Zerr, Henry Balzen, George Gaston, Jimmy Timmerman, Billy Potosovich and Johnny Windrow. Eighteen boys are out for the club.

## Hwy. 90 League Meeting

Members of the Hwy. 90 League held a meeting last week in Castroville. The league will have seven teams this year: Castroville, D'Hanis, Hondo, Hondo Air Base, LaCoste, Rio Medina and Quihi. Three rounds will be played, starting on March 25th, and ending on August 12th, when the play-offs will begin.

Something new has been added this year. Each hitter will be re-

quired (compelled) to wear a head guard. This is a fine ruling by the League officials for it insures the hitters of more protection against serious injury. In this league, since you play only once a week, no one is in the best of shape. The pitchers tend to be wild at times and the hitters' reflexes are sometimes sluggish. As a result, each year, a few "boys" find a baseball bouncing off their noggin.

A schedule has been drawn up. Hondo will play all home games on Saturday night. Hondo Air Base will use the High School park too, sometime on Sunday afternoon, as well as Saturday night. So there should be at least one game each weekend on the high school park.

## Braves Hold Workout

Mgr. Parson had about 14 Braves out for their initial workout last Sunday. Everyone got in lots of hitting practice and Parsons, an old Pro himself, spent a lot of time giving helpful advice to his younger talent.

For instance, Parsons will not doubt be trying to offer all the helpful advice he can to the very talented high schooler, Alvin Hartman, a fine athlete. . . no matter how you look at it. He was a standout on the grid iron, showed worlds of ability on the basketball court and should be even more outstanding on the baseball diamond. It's been an active year for Alvin. He started football last September 1st, has been out for football and basketball ever since, and now it's baseball until football begins next September!

## Last Week Confusion

The type got a little confused in this column last week. It should have come out something like this: The Braves' main problem will be to field an adequate line-up until the college boys come home in June. Monte Williams, now with the University of Texas freshmen, and Glenn Schueers should prove to be the class of the league. Then Roy Meyer and Tommie "Goobor" Finger, both at Sul Ross now, should add new life and base hits to the Brave attack. So as the weather gets hotter so SHOULD the Braves.

## Basketball This Weekend

Lots of basketball will be unreeled here this weekend according to Jimmy Amberson as the Hondo Air Base holds a tournament—6 or 8 Air Force teams will be entered—Games will be run off at the High School gym and at the Base Gym—one should see some fairly good Basketball run off and I believe it is ALL FOR FREE too!

## Castroville Edges Owls

The Owls went to Castroville Tuesday and came home on the short end of a 4 to 3 score. This brings the Owls practice game record to 1 and 1. We were unable to see the scorebook but Alvin Hartman pitched all the way for the Owls and gave up 3 hits while Castroville's Francis Lutz gave the Owls only 2 hits. A key to the defeat could be that the Owls committed six (6) errors!

## MECHLER TO COACH IN DALLAS

Floyd Mechler, former Hondo Owl football star and son of Mrs. L. A. Mechler of Hondo, will be backfield coach and baseball coach at Thomas Jefferson High School in Dallas next year.

Coach Mechler will report to his new job next fall. He recently resigned as football and baseball coach at Seguin High School, but will complete the school year in the Seguin Public Schools. He has coached the Seguin Matadors since 1951.

The new Thomas Jefferson High School opened its doors in Dallas on February 1 of this year. The school will compete in Class AAAA of the Texas Inter-scholastic League, but will play an independent schedule next fall.

Mechler, a graduate of Hondo High School and Rice Institute, formerly coached at Smiley, Kennedy and Elgin. Mr. and Mrs. Mechler and their two sons will move to Dallas this summer.

## Diane Pope Only Hondoan On District Team

The 29-A All-District teams were selected Monday night in Carrizo Springs and Diane Pope made the First team as a guard for Hondo. Sandra Meyer and Nelda Muennink were listed on the Second team.

No Owl made the First team, but James Ham and Jimmy Leazenby were selected on the Second and All-District team.

# Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

AUSTIN —Gov. Allan Shivers says he prefers his four-point "states rights" program to a fourth term as governor. Therefore he will not be a candidate for public office in 1956.

Thus he will bring to a close, at the end of this year, 20 active years as a public official. With him will go a record of never having been defeated in any election campaign.

But Shivers is not through yet. He has a plan of action "to protect local authority from federal interference." It centers around interposition.

Four steps in his program include (1) a general discussion of interposition; (2) public expression for or against interposition; at precinct, county and state conventions; (3) if approved by party committees, the placing of an interposition proposition on the primary election ballot; and (4) if endorsed by voters, passing of a legislative resolution asking a U. S. Constitutional Amendment to strengthen and clarify local powers.

In announcing his decision not to run again, Shivers defended his administration against those who have attacked it because of veterans land and insurance upheavals.

Faults found in each are being quickly and efficiently corrected, he declared. He predicted that the veterans land program, when completed, will bring the state a \$25,000,000 profit. As to insurance, he said that by May 31 the commission "will have cleaned out every unsound, insolvent or dishonest company that can be closed under the present stringent laws."

## Interposition Reaction Varies

Reaction to Governor Shivers' proposed interposition resolution ran the gamut of yes, no and maybe.

Possibilities of a referendum on interposition, on the Democratic primary ballot this summer, now are under study by the party's legal committee. It will be taken up by the full executive committee probably about the middle of March.

Approving the plan were Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd, who demurred only on the "slowness" of gubernatorial Candidate Reuben Senterfitt; and Dallas members of the Democratic Executive Committee.

More time to study the idea was asked by Reps. J. W. Cooper Jr., and L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi.

It's a "waste of time and energy," said Rep. Barfoot Sanders of Dallas. James P. Hart, a potential candidate for governor, called it "futile and dangerous."

## Porter Predicts Victory

Jack Porter, spokesman for Texas' elated Republicans, predicted in Austin speeches that President Eisenhower will carry Texas again this year.

National Committeeman Porter said the Republicans also are hopeful of sending a man to the U. S. Senate if Price Daniel resigns to become governor.

His party does not expect to name a full slate of candidates. "But we have two prospects in sight as a nominee for governor," he said. "And GOP Congressman Bruce Alger of Dallas will be re-elected."

Republican state executive committee members meet in Austin on March 12 to decide whether the party will hold a primary this year. Site for the state convention May 22 will be named at this meeting.

## Indictments Handed Out

A. B. Shoemaker, head of US Trust and Guaranty Co. and its affiliates, who tried to kill himself Jan. 7, was indicted by a McLennan Co. grand jury. Indictments charged the sale of certified drafts, without a state license, after the new insurance securities law became effective.

The grand jury report was critical of the insurance commission.

Also indicted and charged with having made unlawful campaign expenditures back in 1954 was Vernon T. Sanford, general manager of the Texas Press Association. He was charged with placing a total of \$76 worth of advertising in Waco newspapers in behalf of Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey.

Texas Election Laws prohibit an individual from spending more than \$25 in behalf of or against any candidate, or contributing more than \$100 to a candidate's campaign fund.

Sanford places ads for candidates and others, in Texas newspapers, as an agent of TPA. He states that he did not spend any of his own money, or any funds of the Texas Press Association in behalf of Ramsey or any other candidate.

Says TPA President Russell W. Bryant, publisher of the Italy News-Herald, "Charges that Mr. Sanford has violated the Texas election code are ridiculous and without foundation. The entire matter stems from the vindictiveness of a disgruntled, defeated candidate who cannot face the fact that the people of Texas believed him unfit to be lieutenant governor."

TPA Directors, meeting in a special session, adopted a resolution expressing complete confidence in Sanford and commending him "for the manner in which he has and is executing the affairs of our association."

## Short Snorts

Texas Military District announces an increased number of beginning spaces in the Army Medical residency training program will be available July 1. Eligible are reserve Medical Corps officers not on active duty who have had six months or more duty in tactical units as medical corps officers.

DR. RALPH T. GREEN, chairman of Baylor University's economics department, has been appointed executive director of the State Commission on Higher Education.

DEADLINE for 1956 auto inspections is April 15. Col. Homer Garrison, public safety director, says that 2,000,000 Texas auto owners have not yet taken their cars to licensed inspection stations for safety checks.

PRESSURE continues to mount urging Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd to remain in public office. Shepperd's mail has been exceptionally heavy. Latest newspaper to come out editorially for Shepperd is the Kilgore News Herald. The newspaper urged citizens to "insist that he continue his courageous and effective public service." Shepperd still is mum on his personal plans and many close friends say he is dropping out of public office.

# METHODISTS TO HOLD REVIVAL

The Rev. L. A. McDaniel, pastor of First Methodist Church in Hondo, has announced that the Reverend Eugene Harris, superintendent of the San Angelo District will be guest minister during revival services March 18-23.

On week days, services will be at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The church will observe a Prayer Vigil for 24 hours beginning March 23 at 6 p.m. to March 24, 6 p.m. During 1956 every hour of the day will be observed in prayer by some local church in Texas.

The preparatory membership class will be received on Palm Sunday.

The Methodist Men will dramatize the Last Supper on Thursday night March 29th. The congregation will observe Holy Communion following the dramatization.

Easter Sunday morning there will be two worship services, one at 8:20 and the other 10:50.

The Methodist Men are purchasing a sound system which will be installed in the next few days. This will make it possible for all to hear whether in the sanctuary or the fellowship hall.

"The Methodist Church invites all to its service of study and worship," the Rev. McDaniel said.

## Wesleyan Guild Meets Tuesday

Wesleyan Guild met in the home of Mrs. Welton Meyer last Tuesday with Mrs. Joe Brucks as co-hostess.

Mrs. Ernest Muennink and Mrs. Marguerite Murrill gave the Devotional. The program "We Would Be True Disciples" was given by Mrs. E. W. Brucks, Sr. Mrs. R. J. Reilly told of her experiences on her recent trip to the West Indies and of her visits to the various church sponsored schools and churches.

Attending the meeting were Mesdames R. J. Reilly, G. H. Finger, R. V. Stanga, Ernest Muennink, W. L. Windrow, Marguerite Murrill, Mrs. E. W. Brucks and the hostesses, Mrs. J. B. Cunningham was welcomed as a new member.

The Guild will meet in the home of Mrs. W. B. McWhirter in April.

## FIRST METHODIST, HONDO

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship at 10:50 a. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:00 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Wesleyan Service Guild is the first Tuesday night.

Methodist Men is on the third Thursday night.

Young Adult Fellowship is on the second Thursday night. Woman's Society of Christian Service is on Wednesday afternoons.

## HOLY CROSS, D'HANIS

Masses will be conducted at 7 and 9 a. m. Sundays. The Rev. O. B. Kahlien.

Sunday School and adult Bible classes at 9:00 a. m.

Worship Service at 10:00 a. m. Lenten Services during Lent each Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

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# CHURCH NEWS

The Anvil Herald offers free space for announcements to all churches in Medina County. If your church is not represented in this column, please get the information to the Herald office before 10 a. m. Tuesday morning. To assure accuracy, we ask that the notices be submitted each week if there is any change.



## ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC

Masses at 6:30, 8:00, 10:00 a. m. At Our Lady of Guadalupe: 6:00, 9:00 and 10:30 a. m. Air Base chapel: 8:15 a. m. Yancey: 7:30 a. m.

The Rev. Harold Ehlinger and the Rev. B. J. Bonazza.

## CHAPEL, AIR BASE

Protestant — worship service conducted 10:30 a. m. Sunday. Sunday school conducted at 9:30 a. m. for all age groups. Choir rehearses every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Masses—Catholic Priest Father Ehlinger of Hondo serves as the auxiliary chaplain for the base chapel. Confessions are held every Sunday at 8 a. m. and are followed at 8:30 a. m. by mass.

Lutheran services every Monday at 7:30 p. m.

Latter day Saints—services at 7:15 p. m. Thursday and 2 p. m. Sunday.

Latter day Saints (Mormon) Sunday.

Sunday School 1 p. m. Tuesday. Investigator Class, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

## ZION PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH, BLACK CREEK

Elder L. C. Hull, Pastor. Regular monthly services each 2nd and 4th Sunday. Community Singing at 10:00 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m.

## BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN, QUIHI

Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m. and services at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. William Durkop will be in the pulpit.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ, 24th at Ave. M., Bible school at 10 a. m. Sunday preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Ladies Bible class 9:30 a. m. Tuesdays. Mid-week services 7:30 p. m. Wednesdays. Everybody is cordially invited to attend any or all our services. Luther Norman, minister.

## BAPTIST, YANCEY

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday with worship service at 11 a. m. each second and fourth Sundays. The Rev. H. B. Teague, pastor. Bible study each Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. led by W. S. Garnett, Sr.

## FIRST BAPTIST

Sunday morning services with the Rev. Harold B. Cornelson officiating. Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m. and the training union for all ages will start at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship will begin at 7:30 p. m.

## Countries and churches are only as strong as the homes which comprise them.

And homes are strong only when they are rooted and grounded in God.

The faith of the homes shapes the character of the nation and determines the influence of the Church in shaping a brave new world.

Ideas and ideals live or die as the home fosters or neglects them. The intimate experiences of the home make indelible impressions upon the minds and hearts of us all.

How can we develop such significant worship in our homes?

Designate a specified time for the family to worship together every day.

Regard this hour as sacred and keep it free from matters that would interrupt or delay it.

Spend the period in earnest prayer, in searching the scriptures, and in sharing experiences.

Observe the hour wherever we are—at home, in the office, on the road, etc.

Encourage absent members of the family to devote the same time to prayer and devotion that all might be one in spirit.

## NEW FOUNTAIN METHODIST

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Worship services at 10:40 a. m. Lenten services—Wed, night at 7:45.

Woman's Society—third Wed. at 2:00 p. m.

Brotherhood — second Tuesday at 7:45 p. m.

Youth Fellowship — the first week of the month (time to be announced).

Sunshine Class Meeting — the third Saturday night at 7:45.

We invite you to all our Services.

W. L. Hornung, pastor

# Sportsmens Club To Meet In San Antonio

A meeting of all sports clubs in Region 7 of the men's Clubs of Texas, Inc. been scheduled to be held at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio, Saturday, March 10 at 5:00 p. m.

Wilson Southwell, President of the San Antonio Anglers Club sent notices of the meeting to known clubs in the region. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing the present time, and the future of these organizations and to send representatives to the March 10 meeting, which is devoted to developing a setup of the Sportsmen's Club of Texas, Inc.

Counties included in Region 7 are Bexar, Medina, Uvalde, Real, Kerr, Kimbrell, Comal, Travis, Burnet, Llano, Bandera, McCulloch, San Saba, Lampasas, Comal, Gonzales, Caldwell.

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# CASTRO INDIANS ELECT TSCHIRHART AS MANAGER

Castro Indians in a recent meeting elected Earl (Spurry) Tschirhart, crafty little right handed pitching veteran of many a Highway 90 league battle, as manager for the season of 1956.

Manager Tschirhart has put the candidates for the team through several spirited practice sessions since, and is happy to report that he has twelve veterans plus five rookies up from the high schools and pony leagues.

Long ball hitting, veteran, Oscar Suehs will be available for catching duties again. To spell him will be Royce Groff, from the pony league and high school where he has shown enough ability to be classified as a comer. Pitching chores will be handled by R. Keller, ex University of Texas hurler; Big Don Biediger, curve balling specialist, and M. Etter up from high school. Manager Tschirhart will also be available if the occasion demands.

First base will be handled by Lynroe Tschirhart, with help, if needed offered by Billy Tschirhart, returned from the army and stocky, hard-hitting Ray Hoog. Second base prospects are Lynn Tschirhart and H. L. Keller.

Shortstop should be ably-handled by Stephen Haby, who is expected to avoid his late season batting slump of last season, or Billy Tschirhart if no vacancy appears at first base. Third base candidates are Geo. Schmidt, Southpaw swinging veteran, and Rookie Rod Tschirhart.

The outfield will again be sparked by fleet-footed Mark Kempf, fastest man in the league, and reliable, steady hitting M. Tschirhart. Bobby Bayer, up from the high school ranks will substitute if necessary.

Pre-season games will be played by the Indians with D'Hanis on March 11 and St. Mary's University March 18 at Castroville, preceding opening of Hwy 90 league.

# MECHLER TO COACH IN DALLAS

Floyd Mechler, former Hondo Owl football star and son of Mrs. L. A. Mechler of Hondo, will be backfield coach and baseball coach at Thomas Jefferson High School in Dallas next year.

Coach Mechler will report to his new job next fall. He recently resigned as football and baseball coach at Seguin High School, but will complete the school year in the Seguin Public Schools. He has coached the Seguin Matadors since 1951.

The new Thomas Jefferson High School opened its doors in Dallas on February 1 of this year. The school will compete in Class AAAA of the Texas Inter-scholastic League, but will play an independent schedule next fall.

Mechler, a graduate of Hondo High School and Rice Institute, formerly coached at Smiley, Kennedy and Elgin. Mr. and Mrs. Mechler and their two sons will move to Dallas this summer.

# Diane Pope Only Hondoan On District Team

The 29-A All-District teams were selected Monday night in Carrizo Springs and Diane Pope made the First team as a guard for Hondo. Sandra Meyer and Nelda Muennink were listed on the Second team.

No Owl made the First team, but James Ham and Jimmy Leazenby were selected on the Second and All-District team.

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